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## FIRST

**Determined Effort  
Will be Made**

**At Wellsville**

**To Operate Mills With  
Non-unionists.**

**Stormy Times Will be Seen  
at McKeesport and  
Wellsville.**

**Arbitrator Bishop Sends a Com-  
munication to President Shaffer  
Which is Very Satisfactory  
to That Official.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Pittsburg, July 18.—President Shaffer and other Amalgamated officials have gone to Wellsville, Ohio, to hold a meeting today. This indicates to experts that there the trust will make the first determined effort to open their mills with non-union men. It is believed that the trust will take men from the Vandergrift mills to open those at Wellsville. If they import men trouble is certain. President Shaffer welcomes the offer of mediation made by Secretary Bishop, of the Ohio board of arbitration. Bishop commands the respect of employees, and especially of the men because he is an old steel man himself, having been the first president of the Amalgamated Association. It is announced that an effort will be made to reopen the mills at McKeesport next week. Stormy times are looked for soon at Wellsville and McKeesport.

## CONVICTED

**The Earl on the Charge  
of Bigamy.**

**Tried by Two Hundred Peers  
in England.**

**The Accused is Sentenced to a  
Service of a Short Term of  
Three Months in  
Prison.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
London, July 18.—Two hundred Peers today tried Earl Russell on a charge of bigamy. He is charged with marrying Mollie Cook in Nevada while his wife was living in England. The trial occurred in the Royal Gallery of the house. The lords and Peers all wore robes and the room presented a gorgeous scene. Russell's lawyers explained that the Earl thought he had a divorce. Russell then pleaded guilty and sentenced to three months imprisonment.

## ELECTROCUTED.

**Sad Fate That Overtook a  
Norwalk Lineman.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Fremont, O., July 18.—Will Keeler, a lineman on the Home Telephone Co., was electrocuted while at work today. He was working on a pole when his head came in contact with a high tension feed wire, of the Toledo, Fremont & Norwalk Railway. Fifteen thousand volts passed through his body. Death was instantaneous.

## THE ORACLE

**Is Being Consulted Today by  
Senator Fairbanks.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Canton, July 18.—Attorney General Knox and Senator Fairbanks arrived here this morning. They were met at the depot by the President's carriage and driven to McKinley's home for conference.

**The Weather.**  
Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Washington, July 18.—Ohio, generally fair tonight; Friday, westerly winds.

## DRIVEN INSANE

**By the Torrid Rays of the  
July Sun.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Newburg, N. Y., July 18.—A "wild man" stark naked was captured in the woods here today. He says his name is John Martin, of New York, and that the weather was so hot that he threw all his clothes away. His body was badly burned by the sun and covered with bruises. The heat probably drove him insane.

## KITCHENER

**Reports a Skirmish in the  
Orange Colony.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
London, July 18.—General Kitchenier reports a skirmish in the Orange colony in which Captain Charles Botha, son of Philip Botha, Lieutenant Human and Colonel Liver were killed.

## REVENUES

**Of Postal Department  
Increased**

**By New Orders Affecting  
Second-class Matter.**

**Books, Premium Magazines and Un-  
sold Papers Can No Longer be  
Handled as Second-class  
Mail Matter.**

Washington, July 18.—Postmaster General Smith signed three orders amending in important particulars three postal regulations affecting second class mail matter. The first order excludes from second class mails publications which have the characteristics of books. The second order excludes from the same class publications the subscriptions to which are not founded on their value as news or literary journals, and which by the general use of premiums or other considerations in the form of chances to win prizes, etc., to induce subscriptions. The third order prohibits unsold copies of second class publications to be returned at the point rate to news agents or to publishers.

## OLDEST MAN

**In the Country Just Recover-  
ing from the Measles.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
New Market, N. J., July 18.—Nash Baby 128 years old has just recovered from an attack of measles. He has been an inmate of the Piswataway poor house for thirty years and claims to be the oldest man in the country if not in the world.

## MYSTERY

**Surrounding Killing of  
May Fosburg**

**Will be Inquired Into by the  
Courts.**

**One Member of the Family is a  
Witness for the State. All  
Others are for the  
Defense.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Pittsfield, Mass., July 18.—Robert Stewart Fosburg, was placed on trial today for the murder of his sister May, last August. This murder is the greatest mystery in the history of New England. The Fosburg family claim that May was killed by burglars. The state claims the crime was committed by her brother. Of the whole Fosburg family, Beatrice, aged 14, May's sister is the only witness for the state. All the rest are witnesses for the defense. Within half an hour a jury was secured and lawyers had begun their opening addresses.

**Governor Sails For Europe.**  
New York, July 18.—On the St. Louis sailed James J. Van Alen, who is going to England to receive the decoration of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem from King Edward. Congressman Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio sailed on the St. Louis.

## LORD

**Pauncefote and His  
Treaty**

**Still Together,**

**Hoping to Please the  
Americans.**

**Trying to Devise a Satisfac-  
tory Proposition for  
Uncle Sam.**

**Says the Americans are the Most  
Genial People on the Face of  
the Earth.—Returns to the  
U. S. in October.**

London, July 18.—Lord Pauncefote, British ambassador to the United States, made the following statement: "I am having conferences with the Marquis of Lansdowne not only about Nicaragua, but also with regard to half a dozen treaties pending between Great Britain and the United States. These are chiefly concerned with West Indian reciprocity affairs."

When asked if he thought there was any possibility of arriving at an agreement regarding the Nicaragua canal before congress reconvened, he replied: "Yes, I sincerely hope so. We are now in the middle of the negotiations, which, although they have not yet reached any tangible result, show good promise. Naturally I may not disclose the details, but I may say that when I return to the United States at the end of October, I hope to take with me a Nicaragua treaty that will meet the views of both President McKinley and the British cabinet. It goes without saying that the president has made himself cognizant of the opinions of the senate and of the secretary of state. There is no use wasting time over treaties which the senate is likely to refuse. I really believe the differences of opinion between the two nations are capable of settlement in an agreement fair to both. If I could finish my delightful labors in the United States by accomplishing this end, I should indeed feel gratified. But the only way this can be attained is step by step with proposition followed by counter-proposition, and eventually a happy medium. It is slow, but I hope it is sure. If I thought anything could be done before October, I would return prior to that date, but I do not believe that anything would be gained."

Lord Pauncefote paid a warm tribute to the Americans. "They are the most genial people on the face of the earth," he declared. "At the first grip of the hand they take you to their hearts. So long as you do not try to deal in an underhand way, and so long as you do not assume superior airs, they treat you as one of their own, and no one could say more than this."

Reverting to the report that a majority of the senate favored a neutral canal, Lord Pauncefote said: "I happen to know that Mr. Hay consulted the senate, both the section supposed to support him and the section credited with other motives. You may be sure that whatever is agreed upon between the two governments will meet with the approval of the senate."

**England's Drouth.**  
London, July 18.—Although Scotland and Ireland have recently enjoyed local thunderstorms, there is no prospect for rain in the middle and southern parts of England, and a steady increase of heat for several days to come is predicted. There is general complaint from the country that the sun is burning up the crops. The drouth is everywhere greatly in excess of the average, the temperature is above the mean and the rainfall is far short of the average. London is a great sufferer from the heat, as the city has not had rain for weeks. Sunstrokes, apoplexy and heat prostrations are frequent and the hospitals are busy. The live stock market is unusually crowded, as owing to the failure of pastures farmers are forced to sell their cattle.

**Coronation Claimants.**  
London, July 18.—The court of claims in connection with the ceremony of the coronation of King Edward, which is expected to take place in June, 1902, met the privy council under the presidency of the lord high chancellor, Lord Halsbury. The registrar of the court having called for silence, "under pain of imprisonment," read a number of petitions from claimants to perform the quaint services of the coronation. Among the petitioners the Duke of New Castle claims, as holder of the manor of workshop, the right to provide the glove and support the king's arm.

**Colombian Exports Taxed.**  
Colon, Colombia, July 18.—By a recent governmental decree all exports

from Colombian ports will be subject to taxation. This ruling chiefly affects the isthmus in its exportation of bananas, coconuts, ivory nuts and timber. The same decree orders that lighthouse dues at Colombian ports, formerly payable in silver, shall be doubled and made payable in gold.

**Married an American Actress.**  
London, July 18.—P. H. Taraball of St. John, N. B., was married in St. Paul's church, Knight's Bridge, to the American actress Miss Elliott Page, daughter of the late Colonel John Augustus Page of New York. There were 300 guests at the church and many notable persons were later present at the reception given at the residence of the bride's mother.

**Cheap Cable Rates Proposed.**  
London, July 18.—At a meeting of the Eastern Telegraph company chairman Sir John Barry announced that in conjunction with the postoffice authorities the directors of the company were formulating a scheme to enable the public, by means of a code, to cable to the far east for about 1 penny a word.

## BUCKEYES

**At the Pan-American in  
Large Numbers.**

**The "President's Own" Regi-  
ment Arrives There.**

**Served as Escort to Governor Nash  
During the Ohio Day Parade—  
Other Distinguished Ohio  
Men Present.**

Buffalo, N. Y., July 18.—The famous Eighth Ohio regiment, otherwise known as "the president's own," arrived here and went into camp at the exposition grounds to remain at Camp Fillmore a week. The Eighth acted as escort to Governor Nash in the parade that preceded the Ohio day ceremonies in the temple of music. Visitors from Ohio were at the exposition in large numbers. Large parties of representatives in the state legislature and men who served the state in the house of representatives at Washington are among the Ohioans in the city. One of the distinguished visitors at exposition grounds was L. C. Laylin, secretary of state for Ohio. Wednesday Governor Nash visited the grounds unofficially. He visited a number of the exhibit buildings as the guest of exposition officials, and saw a number of the midway attractions.

## GAIN

**Made by Striking  
Firemen.**

**Mines Tied Up**

**In Wyoming Valley and  
Other Districts.**

**Not More Than Half of the  
Mines are Being Operat-  
ed in Scranton.**

**Of These a Large Percentage Will  
Close Tonight. The Coal Trust  
Will Make No Concessions  
Whatever.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 18.—The firemen steadily gain ground. All the mines in Wyoming Valley are tied up in Scranton, half the mines are idle, and more will close tonight. There is no strike in the Hazelton, Shamokin, or Mount Carmel districts yet, but in the latter, two, the strike will take place Friday, and in the Hazelton district, on Monday. All the individual coal operators will grant the demands and resume work. The coal trust will refuse and will fight. Why they do this when it would be so much cheaper to grant the firemen an 8 hour day for the whole year than it is to keep the mines idle a couple of weeks is not clear. The trust people desire to break the strength of the firemen's union because they believe that after the eight hour day is granted the firemen will want an increase in wages. The indications are, however, that the firemen will win, as water and gas are doing thousands of dollars worth of damage to the mines every hour.

## TRIO

**Of Distinguished U.  
S. Officers**

**Now at Manila**

**To Investigate Condi-  
tions There**

**With a View to Inaugurating  
Economy in Uncle  
Sam's Army.**

**Aguinaldo Denies the Authorship  
of an Alleged Order for the  
Execution of American  
Prisoners.**

Manila, July 18.—Adjutant General Corbin, Surgeon General Sternberg and General John F. Weston of the subsistence department will be tendered receptions at the headquarters in Manila of the division and department commanders and their staffs. General Corbin explained that the chief purposes of his visit to the Philippines were to get in better touch with the details of the situation and to further the desire of the administration for greater economy in the army of the Philippines. General Corbin has been invited to accompany the members of the civil commission on a trip to the northern part of Luzon Island. He will probably decide to visit the southern islands of the archipelago instead.

Investigation into the case of Captain Andrew S. Rowan of the Nineteenth Infantry, charged with burning the town on the island of Bohol, failed to prove Captain Rowan had ordered the town burned. The responsibility for the destruction of the town has not yet been fixed.

The Filipino organ in Madrid, Philippines Antea Europa, and published in that city, has printed an alleged order from Aguinaldo dated Palanan, January, which directs the execution of all American prisoners. When questioned about this order Aguinaldo said he had always been considerate to prisoners and denied the authorship of the order in question. He claimed many orders had been issued by military officers in his name without his sanction.

The American military authorities have documentary evidence dated November, 1898, to the effect that the Filipino leaders contemplated creating a Philippine monarchy and nobility. Aguinaldo, when questioned, declined to discuss the matter.

## BURGLARS

**Made a Bold Attempt  
to Rob a Store.**

**One is Shot Through the  
Heart by Police**

**Who Responded to the Call for Help  
When the Intruders Were  
Discovered in the  
Store.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Ravenna, O., July 18.—Mrs. Rose Kammerer, who sleeps over her millinery store here, this morning at 3 o'clock, heard some body in the store. She telephoned the police, and when officer Fairchild responded, he found two burglars in the store. The men fled and Fairchild opened fire, which the men returned. Thirty shots were fired and one of the burglars fell dead, shot through the heart. The others took to their heels and got away. The dead burglar was unidentified.

## MYSTERIOUS

**Package Exploded Blowing  
Off Shraeder's Hand.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
New York, July 18.—John Kletcka, a clerk in the Brooklyn board of public works today received a queer looking object through the mail. While he and Edward Schroeder, a draughtsman were opening the package, it exploded and Schroeder's right hand was blown off. The package contained an internal machine. The address appears like the writing of a woman.

## A NIGHTSHIRT

**Was the Only Garment the  
General Wore.**

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
London, July 18.—The Standard has the details of the escape of Steyn recently when Broadwoods brigade captured the town of Rietz. Steyn was asleep when the British came. Clad only in a night shirt he jumped upon a horse and galloped away. He was shot at but escaped unhurt.

## HYPNOTIC

**Influence Said to Have  
Been Used**

**In Inducing a Young Woman  
to Travel About**

**In Company With a Man Who  
Abducted Her from a Boarding  
School at Holyoke—Strange  
Case Reported.**

Goshen, Ind., July 18.—Irena Canning, 16, of Galveston, Tex., claiming to be an heiress to \$500,000 in southern banks and securities, is in the custody of the sheriff awaiting instructions from her guardian, the Rev. George Tarbox of Savannah, Ga. She claims to have been under the hypnotic influence of a man who abducted her from a boarding school at Holyoke, Mass. She got off the train at South Bend to escape the man, who was following her. She is quite attractive in appearance and has traveled all over the United States. The police are investigating.

## FIRE

**Followed Building's  
Collapse.**

**A Heavy Loss**

**Will Fall Upon Property  
Owners**

**Because Insurance Co. Claim  
to be Exempt from  
Liability,**

**For the Reason That the Building  
Collapsed Before the Flames  
Appeared. Loss Reaches  
Near Million.**

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 18.—For several weeks extensive alterations in the old Tuce block, on Monroe street, have been in progress. At two o'clock this morning the building collapsed. The walls fell inward, burying a big stock of dry goods. Shortly afterwards, flames burst from the ruins and in 5 minutes the demolished building was a roaring furnace. The roof of the big seven story block, owned by D. A. Blodgett, next to the Tuce building, and filled with fine furniture, became ignited, and the fire department had hard work to save it. The Aldrich building, occupied by the Grand Rapids National Bank was also on fire several times, but was saved. The fire seriously crippled the telephone and electric light service and street car traffic was blocked by brick mortar and tangled wires. The losses will be from three to five hundred thousand dollars. Fortunately the collapse did not occur on a day when the store was filled with people. Lieut. Jack O'Connor, of the hose company, fell from a ladder and was probably fatally injured. It is claimed that the insurance companies will refuse to pay the loss because the collapse occurred before the fire broke out.

**Showers at Warsaw.**  
Warsaw, Ind., July 18.—A heavy rainstorm visited this section. The Hayes memorial building and several cottages at the foot of the bluff of Winona lake were deluged. Guests in the Hayes building were forced to seek refuge in the second story during the period of rainfall. Tables and chairs floated in three feet of water, but \$500 will cover all damage to buildings.

## HELP

**Of a Powerful Union  
is Tendered.**

**The Federation**

**Of Labor Offers to Aid  
the Strikers.**

**Failure to Open Wellsville  
Plant With Non-union  
Men**

**Was One of the Principal Events of  
the Third Day of the Big Strike  
—McKeesport May Become  
the Center.**

Elmhurst, July 18.—"We have not heard from the other side at any time, in any way or on any subject since we parted at the Lincoln hotel last Saturday." This positive statement, made by President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association, disposed of the rumor from New York Wednesday that the strike had been settled. Mr. Shaffer stated further that no settlement negotiations were on between President Bishop of the Ohio state arbitration board and himself tending toward arbitration. A letter received by Mr. Shaffer from Mr. Bishop asking if he would consent to a reopening of the conference has not been answered.

The principal events in the third day's strike history were the failure of the sheet steel people to reopen the Wellsville plant with nonunion men; the offer of financial assistance made to the Amalgamated Association by the 2,000,000 members of the American Federation of Labor and by the American Glass Workers' association; the concerted action of the association to organize the immense sheet steel plant at Vandergrift, and the fact that several of the closed plants are being patrolled by armed watchmen and guards.

The Amalgamated officials professed great satisfaction over the results accomplished since the strike began, but officials of the companies, as heretofore, would say nothing.

The only man on the side of the steel companies who has said anything up to date is Percifer F. Smith, district manager of the sheet steel company. The fight he has on at Wellsville is being followed closely by the workmen. An open public meeting was held at Wellsville at which President Shaffer in person presented the strikers' side of the case in an endeavor to overcome the effects of alleged misstatements concerning the late conference. Manager P. F. Smith was invited to attend the meeting and make a statement for the sheet company. The entire community of Wellsville is worked up over the strike situation.

While Wellsville is the strike center now, the battleground will be shifted to McKeesport next week if the report be true that the W. Dewees Wood plant of the American Sheet Steel company will resume operations. This would afford one of the most trying situations of the strike. It would necessitate the importation of nonunion men from other places and the bitter feeling engendered by such a move would be hard to control. The platform of Enterprise lodge of the Amalgamated Association, which includes most of the employees of the Wood mill, is opposed to all violence. During the strike last spring no effort was made to hinder men from going to work. The same policy, it is said, will be followed in the present struggle, and every suggestion of violence will be frowned at.

**Switchmen Want More Pay.**  
Chicago, July 18.—Railroad switchmen throughout the country are said to be planning a general demand for an increase in wages. The employees of this department of the transportation business desire to have all lines adopt what is known as the Chicago scale, which is the highest paid anywhere. At several important points requests for an advance to this standard have been made, and it is reported that the switchmen's union is preparing to inaugurate a general campaign to induce railways to pay the schedule wherever a switch engine is employed.

**Carnegie Will Not Interfere.**  
Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Skeib Castle, Scotland, July 18.—Carnegie firmly refuses to interfere in the American Steel strike.

**Live Stock Market.**  
Special by wire to Times-Democrat.  
Chicago, July 18.—Cattle 5,000, 15 and 20 cents higher; hogs 24,000, opened strong, closed weak; sheep 12,000, steady.



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### FARES TO BUFFALO

Over Pennsylvania Lines for Pan-American Exposition.

Excursion tickets to Buffalo for the Pan-American Exposition are now on sale at ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Lines. Fares from Lima are as follows:

Tickets good returning ten days, \$10.39.

Tickets good returning fifteen days, \$12.10.

Season tickets with return limit until October 31st, \$15.40.

Special coach excursion tickets good leaving Buffalo up to midnight of Thursday following date of sale will be sold Tuesday at \$6.55.

Tourist tickets at special fares may also be obtained for trips via Buffalo to resorts in Canada. Such tickets will be good for stopover at Buffalo to see the Pan-American Exposition, by payment of \$1.00 extra at Buffalo.

For time tables and further information apply to F. M. Eakin, ticket agent, Lima, Ohio.

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The "Foley's Kidney Cure" always makes a man well.

F. M. Eakin, ticket agent, Lima, Ohio.

### CAPTURE OF AGUINALDO.

General Funston's Detailed Report Given Out by War Department.

General Funston's detailed report to the war department on the capture of Aguinaldo was made public at the war department in Washington the other day. General Funston gives full credit to Lieutenant L. D. Taylor of the Twenty-fourth infantry for having secured the information as to Aguinaldo's whereabouts from a native who had been a messenger to the Filipino leader to insurgent officers and says that these reports suggested to him the plan for the capture of Aguinaldo which was effected in a most skillful manner.

The details of the capture from Manila to the bay, of the landing of the party and the march to Paganan have already been published. Of Lieutenant Colonel Placido and the Spanish Scouts, who were with the party, General Funston says:

"Although Placido was the supposed commanding officer of the detachment, the man on whom I most depended to lead the way was the energetic and versatile Spanish Scout, Placido. From time to time I sent for him and under his guidance gave him instructions regarding what I wished done. He was a man of courage and resources, and his knowledge of the Philippines and of the Tagalog dialect made his services indispensable. While Placido was absolutely loyal to us he did not have the hesitancy and reserve of Segovia."

Of what occurred after the arrival at Paganan General Funston says:

"Aguinaldo, with his officers, had awaited us in his quarters. Placido entered the house to report their arrival and after a short conversation Segovia stepped outside the house and ordered the Maccabebes, who had just come up from the river bank, to open fire on the insurgents, who were standing in line at a distance of 50 yards. The Maccabebes were so excited and nervous that their fire was very ineffective. But two of the insurgents were killed, the remainder in their flight throwing away 15 rifles and 1,000 rounds of ammunition. As soon as Segovia had given the order he ran back into the house and opened fire on the officers surrounding Aguinaldo. He wounded Villa and Alibarna. The latter jumped out of the house into the river and was not seen again. Villa, on being wounded, surrendered, as did also Santiago Barcelona, Aguinaldo's treasurer. The five remaining officers escaped from the house and swam the river. Placido seized Aguinaldo and told him that he was a prisoner of the Americans. At this juncture the Americans arrived."

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Distilling seems to be profitable in Russia. A Moscow firm, "Widow Popova," has distributed 1200,000 roubles as dividends for the year 1901 on a capital of 500,000 roubles.

The Sultan of Morocco has sent King Edward two Atlas mountain sheep, 20 Arab horses and 20 mules as gifts congratulatory upon Edward's accession to the throne.

More Democrats than Republicans, it is said, voted against the calling of a constitutional convention in the state of Virginia, but the proposition prevailed nevertheless and its adoption will make more difficult hereafter Republican contest for control.

## A HOME FOR SOLDIERS.

Plans of Structure to Be Erected Near Johnson City, Tenn.

BUILDINGS WILL COST \$1,000,000.

Site of New Institution Is in a Beautiful Mountain Region—Great Triumphant Arch and Gateway Will Be Built at Entrance of the Grounds. Other Interesting Features.

As a result of a final competition between six architects plans for the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, to be erected near Johnson City, Tenn., have been accepted from Joseph H. Freedlander, one of the younger members of the profession in New York City. The announcement was made the other day, and after consultation with General John T. Richards of Maine, the superintendent of construction, Mr. Freedlander will proceed with the working drawings. Ground will be broken at once, and it is the firm belief that the institution will be ready for occupancy by New Year's day, 1904.

The object is to provide a home for 2,500 volunteers, both of the Union and Confederate armies of the civil war and of all other wars in which the United States has been engaged, and the plans as already prepared call for the expenditure of about \$1,000,000, says the New York Times. Incidentally it is believed that the institution will bring the beautiful mountain region in which it will stand into prominence both as a winter and summer resort. The site is about three hours' ride on horseback over the mountains from Asheville, N. C., where the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers is situated, though owing to the numerous points necessitated by the hills, it takes about two hours longer to make the journey by train.

The site embraces a tract 15 miles long by three quarters of a mile wide. It is a tall, fertile land, but nestled in thick forest, and through a ravine at one end runs a mountain stream which will furnish abundant water power at all seasons for electric lighting and other purposes of the institution. The tract embraces about 25 buildings, which will be built of brick and trimmed with the beautiful limestone of the surrounding country. The forests, too, will provide the necessary timber.

The principal buildings will be in the style of the French Renaissance. At the entrance of the grounds a great triumphal arch and gateway flanked by two towers will be erected. Through this a broad avenue will lead to the parade ground, with its flag-staff and battery, and just within the gate, so as to be ready of access to the outside public having business with the institution, will be the administration building. At one end of the parade ground will stand Memorial hall, a great auditorium, with its galleries, which will seat the entire number of occupants of the home. At the other end of the ground will be the spacious conservatories, and behind these again will be a canteen built and conducted on the plans which found most favor in the regular army, before canteens were abolished and the soldiers driven to seek recreation outside of post limits.

At the side of the parade ground facing the main avenue will be the mess hall, which will seat 1,250 at a time, and behind that will be the 12 two-story barracks buildings, set in a double row in the form of a semi-ellipse, with broad radial paths leading from each to the mess hall. To the right of this settlement will be the spacious hospital, where the inmates of the home naturally will spend much of their time. The chapel will be convenient to the barracks.

Groves and gardens already have been planted, and the rest of the tract will be laid out as a beautiful park, with extensive driveways. In one corner will be a beautiful cemetery, where the old soldiers will take their final rest. The Southern railroad will erect a station before the main entrance to the grounds and will lay a spur on which supplies can be taken directly to the storehouses. A trolley road is also to be built to the gate from Johnson City, and it is expected that the visitors will number about 200,000 annually.

### DISCOVERIES IN PATAGONIA.

Traces of the Giant Sloth—New Fossil and a New Lake.

The expedition to Patagonia in search of the giant sloth has returned without having discovered it, says the London Daily Express. Hesketh Prichard, chief of the expedition, during nearly a year spent on the eastern side of the Cordillera found some remains of the giant sloth bearing an extraordinary appearance of freshness. He discovered a species of puma new to science and a new lake in which were many icebergs.

Large zoological, ornithological, geological and botanical collections were brought back.

### The Cuban Watermelon With Us.

The first fruits of expansion, in the literal sense of the word, are Cuban watermelons, says the Washington Star. Weighing about three pounds, 15 inches long and 10 inches in diameter, of a rich red brown color, the Cuban watermelon, which has for the first time made its appearance in the markets of Washington, creates a mouth watering enthusiasm until the dealer tells you as an afterthought, "They have to be tried before eating." Nevertheless, there is a demand among epicureans in Washington for this fruit, and dealers say the Cuban watermelon, the only novelty of the season in the edible line, has come to stay.

## FASHIONS IN STATIONERY.

Mazarrin Blues in Linen Lawns or Organza and Lace Trim.

A generous stock of writing paper for the summer outfit is one of the necessary accessories, more letters usually being written to absent members of the family and to friends during the warm months than in all the rest of the year. Many women adopt a certain style of paper and employ it from year to year without regard to changing fashions. Among the papers most in vogue for this purpose is bond note, which holds its own with undiminished regard, while other kinds come and go. The note and letter pads in this and other sorts are particularly convenient, the latter usually being folded in sheet form as they are used. Envelopes can be bought to match both sizes.

For those who are particular in varying their stationery with every whim and caprice of the hour mazarrin blues in linen lawns or organza are popular now, says the New York Tribune. A turquoise shade is also much used. Dark papers, requiring white ink, were a passing fad and have gone by. Memoranda of week-end letters are wanted now for the top of the paper, the street and number being less used than formerly. Silver on blue and gold on white are liked, and two colors are often employed, according to fancy. Oblong instead of square envelopes are in demand. Visiting cards for women are small and square, and the shaded old English script continues to be fashionable for the engraving. Although most people have a set style of letter form from which they never change.

### SOL BERLINER'S NEW HAT.

American Consul Exhibits a Sweet Thing From the Canary Islands.

To the already varied collection of straw hats which is a feature of summer in New York was added the other day a shape that had not previously been represented, says the New York Sun. The straw was perhaps slightly off color as compared with the new American hats, and it was finely braided. The hat was as wide as that of a farmer's straw hat, and the crown looked like a section of stovepipe. This hat moved down Broadway about 5 feet 10 inches above the pavement. It shrouded the thoughtful face of the Hon. Sol Berliner, who has just returned from Tenerife to spend or intend a part of his summer there as United States consul.

"Sol, senior," said the diplomatist as he fumbled for his snuffbox, "dear to me, chere, Eli, Caracas! How soon one forgets his English, my homo publicus!" Oh, it's the hat you want to know about. Well, then, that's the small thing in the Canary Islands. Looks like a birdcage with a rim? When you are in the Canary Islands, do as the Canaries do. This hat goes there, and I guess it will go here."

### TEA GROWING IN AMERICA.

Secretary Wilson Declares It Will Soon Be a Great Industry.

The secretary of agriculture, speaking of the raising of tea in the United States, said to a reporter of the Washington Times: "We are now succeeding admirably in the production of tea in the United States. It is only a question of a short time when we will be able to raise all the tea demanded for use in this country. The two tons of tea grown at Sumnerville, S. C., last year so well satisfied the New York investors interested in the industry that they immediately formed a syndicate and bought 6,000 acres of land in the state upon which tea will be grown."

"This department last year sent tea plants to every Gulf state in the Union, from the Carolinas to California, for experimental raising. We have just heard from South Carolina that imported machinery in use there is able to make green tea from the black product in one hour. We do not yet manufacture such machinery in this country, but we will get to that later."

"There is no question concerning the availability of labor when we get to growing our tea on a large scale. There is any number of young people who will seek employment as pickers of the tea leaves, as wages will be good. We are now importing plants from China, Ceylon and Japan, and we propose raising the highest grade of the product in this country."

### AMERICAN HEIR TO BARONY

Albert Kirby Fairfax Preparing to Present His Claim.

The London Daily Mail says that Albert Kirby Fairfax, through his solicitor, Mr. Cary, is about to present his formal claim to the Fairfax barony. Mr. Cary is now in London preparing the requisite documents in the case. Albert Kirby Fairfax is an American living in New York. Upon the death of his father, John Contee Fairfax, who died in Maryland on Sept. 29, 1800, Albert Kirby Fairfax became entitled by inheritance to the title of Baron Fairfax of Cameron. John Contee Fairfax received his right to the title upon the death of his brother Charles in 1809 in the United States. Neither Charles nor John Fairfax ever assumed the title which belonged to them.

One of the latest novelties in tuckings is the so-called "sunburst waist." Tiny tucks are made to radiate from the bust to the sleeves and are caught together at the center with a jeweled or rhinestone brooch.

## STORY OF MRS. ALLEN.

Remarkable Romance in Pierre Lorillard's Life.

HOW IT HAD ITS BEGINNING.

Well Known Tailor Met the Woman Who Entranced Him From His Wife on His Yacht Rhoda—Spent a Fortune on Her—Acted as Her Nurse to the Last.

Mrs. Lillian Allen, to whom the late Pierre Lorillard bequeathed his famous stock farm Rancocas, in New Jersey, is a beautiful woman. She is tall, with a charming figure. She has long wavy brown hair and great, brown eyes, says the New York Journal. She was born in Orange, N. J., about 23 years ago. As a girl she had many admirers. Her parents were in moderate circumstances, but her suitors were mostly sons of wealthy men. And, it is said, she had in her train not a few bachelor and middle aged bachelors.

In the summer of 1891 one of these introduced her to Mr. Lorillard. This was on his yacht Rhoda. Mr. Lorillard fell in love with her beauty, vivacity and grace. Soon after that she went on a long cruise with him. From that time Mr. Lorillard was rarely separated from her. She was ruler of the yacht and sat at the head of the table when Mr. Lorillard entertained. Protests by his family had no avail. Mrs. Allen was his companion until his death. Besides being in love with her he was proud of her. She is witty, clever, and at her head easily held her own with the bon vivants whom Mr. Lorillard gathered around him.

Four or five years ago she convinced Mr. Lorillard that she should wed. An Englishman, Lewis Allen, little known here, became her husband. The ceremony that gave to Lillian Barnes the name of Allen was performed in a church in New York city. Pierre Lorillard was present, and it is most credibly said he gave the bride to her husband. Some servants acted as witnesses. When the ceremony ended, the bride coyly nodded adieu to her husband at the church door. She spoke to him as one who addresses an ordinary acquaintance. In truth, she did not know him very well. Mrs. Allen entered Mr. Lorillard's carriage and was driven away. Allen caught a train for the west, and it is reported, he has obviously died.

Mrs. Allen's father is John C. Barnes, a brother of the late Albert S. Barnes of the firm of A. S. Barnes & Co. The friendship of Mrs. Allen for Mr. Lorillard has caused a division in her family, but throughout her father has remained loyal to her. He lives with her today at 11 West Thirty-third street, the house which was presented to her by Mr. Lorillard years ago and at which he was a lodger whenever they were in New York.

The friendship between Mr. Barnes and Mr. Lorillard was strong and lasting. He generally accompanied his daughter when she went abroad with Mr. Lorillard. Mrs. Allen had been abroad with Mr. Lorillard for eight months. His health had been such that she was in truth his nurse, and the fact that she was his nurse offered the excuse that hid her identity when they arrived on the Deutschland.

There was a great deal of speculation about her on board the Deutschland. The New York millionaires, who formed such an important part of the throng of passengers knew who she was, but they did not tell. So it became quite the thing for the first cabin passengers to file curiously past the women seated in the chairs reserved for the use of Pierre Lorillard.

Her constant companion was a young woman with blond hair, who lives with her in the Thirty-third street house, who is married and has two children. The two women attracted attention on the ship because of the expensive gowns they wore.

Another thing that attracted attention to Mrs. Allen was a long sensuous neck which she wore whenever she appeared on deck. She spoke to none of the other passengers, though she was personally known to some of them.

When the Deutschland arrived at the pier in Hoboken, Pierre Lorillard met his father. But Albert S. Barnes, a brother of Mrs. Allen, met her. He also went into Mr. Lorillard's state-room and had a talk with him. Then he escorted his sister and her companion to the Fifth Avenue hotel, where they awaited the arrival of Mr. Lorillard. "We are trained nurses," said the young women to inquirers. "They are trained nurses from Bellevue Training school," said Pierre Lorillard, Jr. The will had not been read. It was not then necessary to say who Mrs. Allen was.

Mrs. Allen was at Mr. Lorillard's bedside when his life went out. Hers was the last face he looked upon, and her presence kept away the wife, who, relenting, was willing to take a last farewell of her husband. Mrs. Lorillard is still a handsome woman. Her figure has lost but little of the grace that made her a famous beauty when she won Pierre Lorillard's heart. Only sparsely streaked in silver, her hair has yet the wonderful brown coloring that delighted her admirers. Indeed she scarcely appears to have reached the fortieth life stone, so remarkably preserved are her face and figure.

The telegram which Pierre Lorillard, Jr., sent his mother on July 4, when the father and husband was taken, almost unconscious, from the Deutschland, is common property. Its tenor was:

"Father is home. He is dying. His hours are few. He has asked for and wants you. Won't you come?" On receipt of this Mrs. Lorillard's affection again warmed toward her hus-

## WHITE HOUSE M.D.'S.

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### THROUGH NIAGARA RAPIDS.

Graham's Own Story of His Fifth Trip in a Barrel.

Carlisle L. Graham, who has just safely passed through the Whirlpool rapids of Niagara in a barrel for the fifth time, is 51 years old. He admitted that he was in no fit condition to make the trip and said to a New York Press reporter the other night:

"I had about given up hope of reaching the whirlpool alive when I realized that I was being held in the eddy so long that 15 minutes was like hours to me. The temperature in that barrel, which had been standing in the sun all day, could not have been below 105, and after I had been in it a few minutes I was forced to remove the cork from the peep-hole in order to breathe. I knew the water would come in, but felt that it would help to revive me. Truly, in all my experience, it was the nearest I ever came to losing my nerve."

"When I reached the whirlpool, I felt that the barrel was in smooth water again. However, when I was jerked up by the current on my first trip around that natural 'water wheel,' I thought I had started down the lower rapids toward Lewiston and brooded myself for a wild time."

"That barrel is the same one in which I went through the rapids on my last journey. I purchased it from a seap worker. It was one in which they had received grease from China, and had the odor of that grease, although now un-noticed outside of the barrel, is awful inside and did not by any means add to the pleasure of the trip."

"I can't just say tonight what my plans will be but you can rest assured that this is my first barrel trip. In a few weeks probably I will give an exhibition that will be more sensational than any on record at Niagara."

This is Graham's fifth trip through the rapids. Others who have attempted to navigate the rapids are Captain Matthew Webb, the famous English swimmer, who lost his life in the endeavor in attempting to swim them on July 24, 1856, R. W. Fink, of Syracuse, who lost his life in attempting to go through the rapids in an open boat on July 4, 1888, Peter Nissen, better known as P. M. Bowser of Chicago, who successfully shot the rapids in a specially constructed open boat on July 3, 1900.

### Long Timbers From Oregon.

A San Francisco man is in Portland to place an order for some timbers 8 by 20 inches and 100 feet long, says The Morning Oregonian. He will probably have no trouble in securing all such timbers he wants, as the mills in Portland frequently saw timbers 100 feet long. Special orders have to be placed for logs suitable for such timbers. Benson's camp, at Bunker Hill, is filling such orders right along. A few days ago a log 102 feet in length and containing 12,552 feet was put in the water there. That stick was growing when Columbus found this continent and was quite a tree when Lewis and Clark arrived at Oregon.

### The Biggest Surprise.

There have been some big surprises since the century began. And a lot of them, were fashioned on the more or less festive plan. But the biggest of them all, and one that was the greatest fame, is the fact that Abdul Hamid has paid Uncle Sam's claim.

Years ago the Sultan's soldiers started out to smash and loot. And they quickly wrecked some buildings that were standing in Europe. They were not the least bit worried, but over Abdul Hamid's head, the great American flag was waved.

There was prompt complaint to Uncle Sam, and he was right to work. And demand for compensation soon was handed to the Turk.

Very courteous was Abdul, for apologies he made. And asked our Uncle Sammy that the debt would soon be paid.

But the months kept rolling on, and still there came no sign of "dough." For in paying bills the Sultan has a movement that is slow.

Then our Uncle Sam reminded him that it was time to pay. And again the Turk declared that he'd cough up without delay.

Then the months grew into years, but still the Sultan's cash was shy. Though a hundred times he'd promised he would settle by and by. He at times would softly intimate that he had gone "dead broke." And at last the Sultan and his check became a standing joke.

But the unexpected happened, as it will do now and then. And the like of it may not occur this century again. For when it was least expected Abdul Hamid paid the bill. And through all the nations of the world there swept a whirlwind of money.

Oh, the parting with the money must have hurt his royal ribs. And the jingling of his heart, we fear, has bruised the Sultan's ribs. But the agony is over, for the claim at last is paid. And no more we'll joke about the Turk and check so long delayed.

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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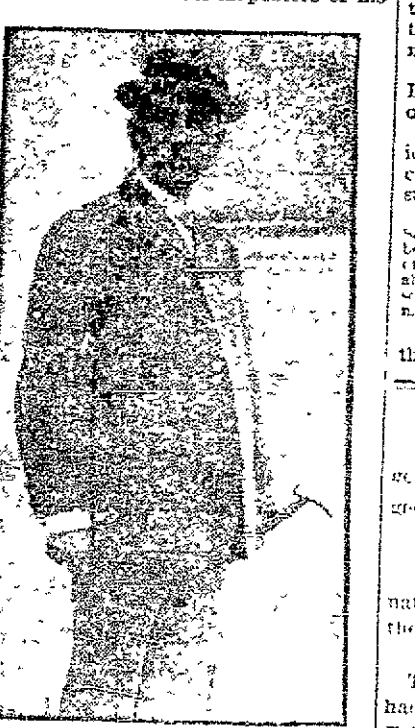
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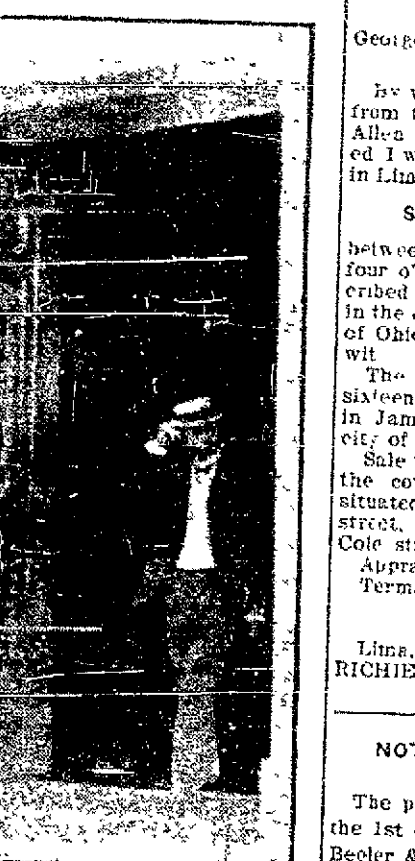
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branch of the service. Dr. Rixey is a native of Virginia and was appointed an assistant surgeon in the army from that state in 1871. He is about 50 years old. Dr. Rixey obtained his present commission in 1890 and is stationed at the naval dispensary, Washington. He is a careful, methodical physician and enjoys the entire confidence of the president and his wife. Dr. Rixey accompanied the presidential party on the recent unfortunate western trip. Mrs. McKinley began the journey leaving on Dr. Rixey's arm.

Honors have crowded thick and fast upon General Sternberg during his long professional career, earned by his splendid record and his devotion to the science of medicine. The surgeon general of the army is now 65 years old. He is a native of New York state. He studied medicine in the office of a physician at Cooperstown, N. Y., and also took a course in the College of Physicians and Surgeons connected with Columbia university, being graduated in 1860.

Sternberg became an assistant surgeon in the Union army in 1861 and served throughout the civil war, winning a brevet for faithful and meritorious services. His advance in the service was steady, and in 1897 he became surgeon general of the army, with the rank of brigadier general. General Sternberg won an additional brevet in 1877 for gallant service in the Indian wars.

General Sternberg has written much upon medical and sanitary subjects, and his works are considered stand-

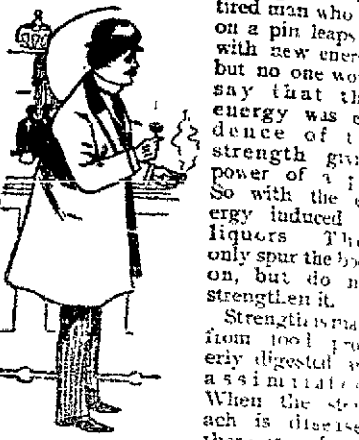


SNAP SHOT OF DR. RIXEY LEAVING WHITE HOUSE

ards. He has received the honorary degree of doctor of letters from the University of Michigan and from Brown university. He has frequently represented our government abroad and is considered by physicians one of the representative American members of their profession. General Sternberg will reach the age limit and will be retired next year.

## The Excuse

Made by many a man for taking a drink at the bar is that he needs a brace. He feels weak, his stomach is "out of order" and liquor makes him "feel good."



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Symptoms, however, of the disease are not always so obvious. The women who are afflicted with this disease are often called "Amazons." They are women who are strong and brave, and who are often called "Amazons." They are women who are strong and brave, and who are often called "Amazons."

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Board of Trustees of the University of Ohio, for the construction of a new building on the campus of the University of Ohio, to be known as the "University of Ohio Building." The proposals will be opened on the 1st day of August, 1901.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10587. Walter J. Ritchie plaintiff.

George W. Jameson et al. defendants. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale on the premises in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, August 10, 1901,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, and described as follows to-wit:

The east half (1/2) of lot number sixteen hundred and ninety-five (1695) in Jameson's second addition to the city of Lima, on said county and estate. To be sold on premises, instead of at the court house. (The same being situated on the south side of High street, between Jameson avenue and Cole street.)

Appraised at \$375.00.

Terms of sale, Cash.

E. A. BOGART, Sheriff, Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, July 2, 1901.

RICHEY & RICHIE, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The public will take notice that on the 1st day of July, 1901, the firm of Beeler & Van Gunten, who have been conducting a music store, dealing in pianos, organs etc., in the city of Lima, Ohio, have this day dissolved partnership.

Mr. Henry Van Gunten will continue the business at the same place and will assume all debts and obligations of the firm, also those indebted to the firm will please pay the same to Mr. Henry Van Gunten.

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## NEWS

### Of the City Across the River.

### At Solar Lodge

Officers were Installed Last Night.

Daughters of Rebekah Will Hold a Lawn Social This Evening.

Frank Fink, of the South Side, Injured by a Fall from a Bicycle—Other News of the South Side.

Solar lodge of Odd Fellows formally installed the following officers last night: G. A. Griffith, N. G.; Joel Spiker, V. G.; A. W. Rummel, R. S. N. G.; W. E. Croman, L. S. N. G.; William Ward, Warden; Walter Wetherill, Conductor; S. A. Lytle, R. S. G. A. Harrett, L. S. S.; Charles Rice, O. G.; L. E. Edmiston, L. G.; LeRoy Wheeler, Chaplain; C. H. McCoy, R. S. V. G.; F. E. Newell, L. S. V. G.

Tonight at the home of Mrs. C. H. McCoy on south Elizabeth street, the Stella lodge of Rebekah's will hold an ice cream social.

Upon the occasion of her birthday anniversary a number of Mrs. C. W. Smith's friends called at her home on south West street, to assist making the event one of exceeding pleasure.

Yesterday while riding a bicycle in south Lima, Frank Fink, of west Kirby street, was thrown from the wheel, bruising the left side of his face very painfully. A deep gash was inflicted just below the eye. It was necessary for a physician to insert several stitches. The injuries will detain him from work several days.

Frederick Barry, of Kenton, with his family has taken up his residence on south Elizabeth street, where they will reside in the future.

Tonight another of a series of interesting missionary meetings will be held at the south Lima Baptist church, the subject being Porto Rico.

Clem Eyster and Charles Mooney are at the reservoir for a few days fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gardner, of south West street, are the proud parents of a pretty girl baby that arrived yesterday.

Last night Mrs. J. S. Sparling accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary, returned to their home on St. Johns avenue, from a two weeks visit at Sidney.

Miss Agnes Montague is at her home on south West street, after an extended visit with friends at Cincinnati.

Mrs. Eva Baumgardner has gone to Celina for a visit with Rev. Stewart Baumgardner, pastor of the Celina Methodist church.

Misses Nellie and Goldie Pocock, of Crestline, are visiting Mrs. E. P. Orth, on south Main street.

F. H. Allen, of south Main street, returned home this morning from a business trip to Larwell, Ind.

Peter Houser, the well known carriage manufacturer, of Kenton, was in south Lima while this morning.

T. Reed, of Kenton, called upon local friends today.

William Umbaugh, the veteran grocer, of Ada, visited on the south side today.

Local friends of Howard Frazer, formerly of Ada, will be surprised to learn he will leave shortly for Tampa, Florida, where he will take charge of a telephone plant.

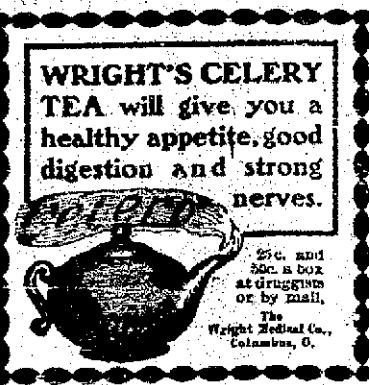
Harry Snerr left yesterday for a visit with friends at Ottawa.

Dr. R. V. Dickey, returned today from Put-in-Bay, where he attended the annual state meeting of the Ohio Medical Society.

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Ned Pierce, a popular young business man of Kenton, has returned home, after a brief stay in this locality.

W. A. Morris, one of Kenton's leading grocers, after transacting business here, has returned to his home.

Raymond Briggs has gone to his home at Kenton, after a short stay in south Lima.

South Lima friends are receiving a visit from A. J. Thrushy, of Findlay.

Yesterday evening E. H. Codding left for his home at Cleveland, called there by the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Edna Roe, of Roundhead, is the guest of Miss Bessie Grear, of the south side.

Mrs. Annabel Harper left last night for a several weeks stay with relatives at Huntington, Ind.

William Dear, of Upper Sandusky, returned to his home yesterday, after a two weeks stay with south side friends.

The commencement exercises of the Ohio Normal University at Ada, are being attended by Miss Edie Keefe, of the south side.

Joseph Askins, of south Main street, has returned home from a two weeks trip throughout the West.

Mrs. J. E. DeVoe, is the guest of her parents at Beaver Dam.

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**MICROBES AS DAY LABORERS** Countless Millions Employed to Preserve the Public Health.

When Pasteur established the germ theory of fermentation, he may be said to have "harnessed" the microbes, as Franklin harnessed the lightning, and made it an efficient servant of mankind.

Although Pasteur's discovery is still young, there are in Massachusetts, for example, where the first scientific experiments in the purification of municipal water supply by means of sand filters were undertaken, millions of micro-organisms regularly employed in the great work of protecting the public health.

Different varieties of bacteria are now used in the production of butter, cheese, vinegar and in brewing, but it is in the capacity of scavengers that the microbes are at present most extensively utilized.

The protective work of bacteria in the purification of water and sewage has been made the subject of special investigations by Professor William T. Sedgwick of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as biologist for the state board of health, whose famous experiment station at Lawrence has become a model for the world.

One of the results of these recent experiments has been the general adoption of sand beds for the purification of drinking water intended for domestic use. At first it was thought that sand beds would only be fully effective immediately after being sterilized, but the determinations of the bacteriologist showed that clean sand entirely failed to arrest the progress of the "pathogenic" or disease producing microbes which were the special enemies to the human system.

On the other hand, if ordinary river water teeming with microscopic life is allowed to pass through the bed the upper layer of sand soon becomes populated with harmless bacteria, and through the agency of these "resident microbes," as they are called, the dangerous microbes can be entrapped.

To understand how the purification is effected one must know something about the microbes itself. To use Professor Sedgwick's humorous but truthful illustration, the microbes are like a sausage, consisting of "a membranous covering filled with an unknown substance." When the resident microbes attach themselves to a grain of sand, they finally cover it with a "mantle" or covering of jellylike membrane, in which the dangerous visiting microbes become entangled and, once entangled, remain prisoners until they die of starvation or old age. Not until the sand is colonized in this fashion does it become an effective filter.

From a bacteriological census it has been estimated that for a quarter of an inch down the population of a filter may be 5,000,000 microbes for each grain of sand, while rich garden earth, such as the earthworm feeds upon, has a population of double that number. It is the province of sanitary engineering to utilize the services of these countless millions of bacteria and by a simple change in the old adage set a microbe to catch a microbe.

It's sometimes well to be absent-minded when it comes to forgetting our troubles.

## DENIED

### Is the Alleged Confession of Blakesley Murder.

Report That Miller, on Trial at Upper Sandusky Had Confessed, Not Founded.

It was rumored in Findlay yesterday and heralded broadcast in the local papers of that town as well as in telegrams to foreign papers, that Willis Miller, the last man on trial at Upper Sandusky for the murder of Celeryman Johnson, had weakened in jail and told the story of the celebrated Blakesley murder at Findlay several years ago. This mysterious murder had a local bearing in Lima because of the fact that the people were well known here, but the story of the confession, which has again resurrected the almost forgotten crime, is pronounced a fake pure and simple.

Chief of Police Ramsey, of Findlay, in an interview published this morning in the Findlay Republican says in part:

"There was a brief conference in the jail at Upper Sandusky Monday night, but it was not about the Blakesley murder. It concerned the Johnson murder. Sheriff Miller, Mr. Jordan and myself went in and talked to Miller and tried to induce him to make a clean breast of the Johnson affair. He said he would if he knew anything about it, but swore that he never knew anything of the case whatever, except what he had heard in court. Who ever said it concerned the Blakesley case, jumped at conclusions. In fact I do not think that Blakesley mystery of the mysterious murder of the Sullivan sisters at Toledo, will ever be ferreted out; and I know what I am talking about."

White Man Turned Yellow. Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty, of Lexington Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. He was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful Stomach and Liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

**BUCKEYE**

State Will Help to Honor a Departed Statesman.

A Two Hundred Thousand Dollar Monument to Honor the Memory of President Harrison.

An organization has been made by friends and admirers of Ex-President Harrison to build a monument at Indianapolis costing \$200,000.00 to honor the memory of this great honorable man. Senator Chas. W. Fairbanks is the president with a vice-president with a vice-president from each state. Ex-Governor Foster is the vice president for Ohio and as Benjamin Harrison was born in this state, a strong effort will be made to raise a liberal sum toward this monument.

Local admirers of the late ex-president have already signified their approval of and willingness to support and aid the project.

**It Dazzles the World.**

No discovery in medicine has ever created one quarter of the excitement that has been caused by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It's severest tests have been on hopeless victims of Consumption, Pneumonia, Hemorrhage, Pleurisy and Bronchitis, thousands of whom it has restored to perfect health. For Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup, Hay Fever, Hoarseness and Whooping Cough it is the quickest, surest cure in the world. It is sold by H. F. Vorkamp, who guarantees satisfaction or refund money. Large bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Atlantic City people claim that without Sunday beer it isn't much of a watering place.

Susan—The pimples, sores and blackheads are danger signals. Take Rocky Mountain Tea, you'll give a farewell reception to your troubles. 35c. Ask your druggist.

The poker player's winning leaves him no cause for doubting that every good-sized inking means he can take an outing.

Builds up the system; puts pure, rich blood in the veins; makes men and women strong and healthy. Burdock Blood Bitters. At any drug store.

## JOHNS HOPKINS' NEW HEAD.

One of America's Leading Chemists Chosen as President.

In Dr. Ira Remsen, its new president, Johns Hopkins university has a worthy successor to Daniel C. Gilman, who recently resigned the presidency of the famous Baltimore institution. After much urging and mature deliberation Dr. Remsen has been prevailed on to accept the honor, and the entire university.



IRA REMSEN, M. D., PH. D., LL. D.

sity, from the trustees and faculty down to the newest undergraduate, rejoice in his favorable decision.

Dr. Remsen's hesitation to accept the weighty responsibility attached to the headship of a great university is only natural. He fears that it will interfere with his special lines of scientific investigation and work. The new president stands in the very forefront of American chemists, and as an authority in his chosen branch his fame is international. His textbooks on chemistry are considered authoritative and have been translated into many foreign languages. He is the editor of The American Chemical Journal, which is published under the auspices of Johns Hopkins.

Johns Hopkins' new president was born in New York city Feb. 16, 1846. He received his degree of bachelor of arts from the College of the City of New York in 1865, his M. D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia university, in 1867 and a Ph. D. from the University of Göttingen, Germany, in 1870. Dr. Remsen was an assistant in chemistry in various German universities from 1870 to 1872. From 1872 to 1876 he was professor of chemistry and physics in Williams college. In 1876, when Professor Gilman, the first president of Johns Hopkins, was making up his faculty, he hit upon Dr. Remsen as the best possible occupant of the chair of chemistry in the new university. In 1893 Columbia college conferred on Dr. Remsen the honorary degree of doctor of letters.

**A CHARMING BRIDE.**

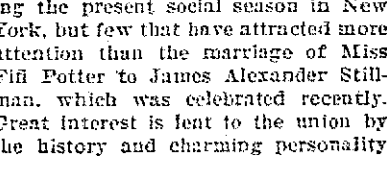
Young Mrs. Stillman, wife of Rockefeller's brother-in-law, has been the center of attention during the present social season in New York, but few that have attracted more attention than the marriage of Miss Fifi Potter to James Alexander Stillman, which was celebrated recently. Great interest is lent to the union by the history and charming personality

of the bride and the family connections of the bridegroom as well as by the magnificent jewels presented to the happy young woman.

The former Miss Fifi Potter is the daughter of the actress, Mrs. James Brown Potter, formerly Miss Cora Urquhart. Her father is James Brown Potter, a nephew of Bishop Potter of New York. Mrs. Stillman's parents are divorced. Mrs. Potter is in England. Mr. Potter lives in Chicago.

Miss Fifi, whose real name was Anne Urquhart Potter, was brought up by her father. She possesses all of her mother's beauty, grace and charm. Her husband is the son of James Stillman, president of the National City bank of New York. The Stillmans are intimately connected with the Rockefellers, one of them, Miss Isabel Stillman, having been married a few months ago to Percy Rockefeller, nephew of John D. Rockefeller.

Among the splendid gifts received by the bride is a diamond coronet from her bridegroom. In the center of the coronet is a magnificent emerald. James Brown Potter gave his charming daughter an immensely valuable piece of pearls.



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## Itching Scalp.

Scald Head and the most Violent Forms of Eczema and Salt Rheum Promptly and Thoroughly Cured by Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment.

Among small children, scald head and similar itching skin diseases are most prevalent, and the worst feature is that these ailments, which are apparently trivial at first almost invariably develop into chronic eczema if neglected.

There is but one treatment that physicians are unanimous in recommending for scald heads and eczema. And that is Dr. Chase's Ointment, the great antiseptic healer. It promptly stops the distressing itching which accompanies these diseases and positively produces a thorough and complete cure.

Mr. J. H. Grant, Mr. J. H. Grant, 716 Joseph Chapman avenue, Detroit, Mich., writes:

"For three years I have been troubled by an intense itching on my body. So terrible was it at times that I could get no rest night or day. I tried all kinds of ointments and blood purifiers, but could get no relief. Mr. H. A. Nicolai of 379 Division street recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. A few applications stopped the itching and I have felt nothing since."

**Baby Eczema.** Mr. F. S. Rose, of 133 Sixteenth street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes:

"Our baby boy suffered for some time with that wretched eczema, and we were unable to find anything to cure or even relieve his pain. A few applications of Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment stopped the itching and healed the sores, and a bright, natural skin now takes their place."

50 cents at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Wm. M. MELVILLE.

**DR. JAMES' SOOTHING SYRUP CORDIAL.**

Clear as crystal. No laudanum. Nothing that could possibly harm. Just a pure, wholesome cordial, that soothes the little nerves and gives them natural rest.

Cures cholera-infantum, diarrhea; relieves colic, corrects sour stomach, eases the pains of teething.

At Drug Stores. 25 cents a Bottle.

Don't Accept a Substitute.

W. M. Melville and The Mell Pharmacy

**GAIN IN URBAN POPULATION.**

Percentage of People Living in Towns Is Growing.

The census office at Washington issued a bulletin the other day concerning the urban population of the country. It shows that 28,411,688 people in the United States live in cities and towns of over 4,000 population. This is 37.3 per cent of the entire population, a gain of almost 5 per cent since the census of 1890, when the percentage was 32.9.

Compared with the returns of 1880, the report shows a gain in urban population of more than a third in percentage and of considerably more than double in actual numbers. There were in 1880 580 places of more than 4,000 persons, with an aggregate population of 12,936,110, or 25.8 per cent of the then population.

About one-half of the urban population of 1900 was contained in cities of over 100,000 people. There were 38 of these cities, with a combined population of 14,268,347. There are now 1,163 places of over 4,000 people in the country as against 899 in 1890.

The population of the District of Columbia is regarded as urban. In the other states and territories the percentage of people living in cities and towns, as compared with the entire population, of the places ranges from 91.6 in Rhode Island to 2.5 in Indian Territory. The states having the largest urban population after Rhode Island are: Massachusetts, 86.9; New York, 71.2; New Jersey, 67.5; Connecticut, 65.5; Pennsylvania, 51.1; Illinois, 51; California, 48.9; Maryland, 48.2; New Hampshire, 46.7; Ohio, 44.8; Delaware, 41.4; Colorado, 40.2; and Michigan, 35.2.

**FEMININE PHARMACISTS.**

Russian Women Excel in Putting Up Prescriptions.

A large apothecary shop has just been opened in St. Petersburg "managed" entirely by women who have passed their examinations in pharmacy, says the foreign correspondent of the New York World. Not only are the shop assistants women, but the managers as well.

The skill and precision with which they make up prescriptions are the subject of wonder in Russian medical circles, and it is highly probable that this experiment of a new calling for women will develop all over the country.

The Russian Medical school in all its branches is practically open to women as much as to men, this being the only country in Europe where this is the case.







## DON'T

Look Upon it With Favor

New System

Not Likely to Become Universal

As the Telephone is Not to be Depended Upon in the Handling of Trains.

New York Comments Upon Decision of Lackawanna Road to Make the Bold Move—Notes That Have a Local Flavor.

The Times-Democrat yesterday commented on the fact that the Delaware and Lackawanna company would soon be sending all messages and train orders by telephone and abandon the telegraph system of sending messages. This change will be made in the interest of economy, the company expecting to save at least 60 percent, depending upon the proposed change, the New York Sun of the 13th inst. says:

While, in a broad sense, the proposed system is new, it is not so entirely so. The telephone has, during the past fifteen years, been used occasionally to facilitate the movement of trains, but never hitherto has it been thought safe to rely solely upon it. Except, it may be, on short lines, where the trains are run and the possibility of accidents is extremely remote. Now, however, it is proposed to utilize the telephone in transmitting orders to trainmen along the entire route of a great railroad between New York and Buffalo.

The plan will send a shiver through the frame of every old-time train dispatcher in the land. They will recall instances when, owing to some temporary unavoidable interruption of the telegraph circuit, they dared not trust to the accuracy of the phone in conveying instructions to a belated train at some point on the road—a risk never entered on except in case of absolute necessity.

On the telegraphic system every word and every figure is spelled out, letter by letter, on the machine, and a written down by the receiving operator, who afterward repeats the order, letter by letter and word by word, to the dispatcher, for the purpose of comparison and affirmation by this means, misunderstanding, on the part of the receiving operator, of a single word is immediately detected and rectified, and no train order is valid until it bears the dispatcher's initials.

Undoubtedly, some such method of verification will be followed under the new system; but the question is, will the telephone be as trustworthy as its predecessor? The telephone has lately attained a high degree of perfection; but the fact remains, nevertheless, that it frequently was responsible, or rather seems to be responsible, for the sound of the voice. When such a defect may be trivial at ordinary times, its existence might prove incalculably disastrous where the safety of hundreds of human lives depends upon absolute accuracy of transmission.

We are told also, that the phonograph is to assist the telephone in its new field. But how about the fallibility of the phonograph under all circumstances? Would the expert not will probably strike many people as being rather bold?

Boy Lost a Foot.

At 8 o'clock last night Floyd Sebold, 10 years old, attempted to get on an incoming freight train on the Lake Erie and Western road when he fell to the tracks and the wheels passed over his left foot, crushing the toes. The lad was taken to St. Joseph hospital, where Dr. W. H. Myers amputated a good portion of the foot. The unfortunate boy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Seibold, of Barthold street, and was enroute home when injured.—For Wayne Sentinel.

Against Double Headers.

Texas railway men have not abandoned the fight against double-headers and are preparing to wage a still more bitter battle at the coming special meeting of the legislature of that state. The proposition to prohibit double-headers by state law has been twice turned down by the legislature. Yesterday a committee of railway employees held a conference with Governor Sayre and urged that he embrace a request for the passage of such a law in the work that is to be done at the coming special session of the legislature. The governor told the committee

that he would give the matter consideration.

Belonged to Lima Lodge.  
Frank W. Taylor, the Findlay man, who was killed on the C. & G. W. railroad at Hayfield, Minn., day before yesterday, was a member of Lima Lodge No. 290, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. He was formerly employed as a brakeman on the L. E. & W., but left that road a few months ago and went to Minnesota.

A Resident of Cleveland.  
W. C. Brown, the new vice president and general manager of the Lake Shore Railroad, is now a resident of Cleveland and has assumed absolute charge of the details of the operation of that road. He brought his family here yesterday. Recently Mr. Brown completed an inspection of the Lake Shore and now is in position to take up the government of it intelligently.—Cleveland Leader.

Ara Paying Commissions.  
While the railroads are busy handling the summer travel, and especially that which is going toward the Pan-American Exposition, they have had time to spy upon the action of some of their neighbors. The result is that frequent accusations have been made that rates are not being maintained as rigidly as the agency of the case demands, and in some instances some of the smaller roads in this territory are accused of having paid commissions. The railroads look for a general return to the system of paying commissions, but the statement is made that some action will be necessary shortly to reclaim some of the Western lines from the error of having broken over the anti-commission agreement.

Out of a Long Sleep.  
The Clover Leaf shops present quite a busy appearance now, says the Delphi Herald. Several machinists and boiler makers are at work, and several pieces of heavy machinery are being reset, while the belting is also being adjusted. Engine No. 30 is in the shop getting a set of new flues and a general overhauling. In the blacksmith shop four forges have been gotten ready for business and the steam hammer is being resurrected from the accumulation of dirt and dust, the result of inactivity.

Didn't Have to Strike.  
The machinists who are employed at the gas engine works of the Swan Co. on the south side are elated over the treatment they are receiving from their employer. Without either having to outbid demand or strike these machinists are receiving the union scale of \$2.50 per day for 9 hours work.

George Louy Transferred.  
George Louy, formerly chief clerk in the office of the general yardmaster of the C. H. & D. in this city, but who recently accepted the position of night yardmaster at the Clover Leaf at Charleston, has been transferred to the Frankfort yards of the company.

Shops are Closed.  
On account of the rains, and the number of employees at the shops who wanted to attend the L. E. & W. shut down this afternoon for a half holiday.

Along the C. H. & D.  
Passenger brakeman Frank Maywood has resumed his run on 13 and 14, the Pan-American vestibule after being off for several days on account of sickness.

Brakeman C. H. Wentz has reported for duty on the 13 & M. division after being absent for two months, filling the duty as instructor on the air brake car.

General Superintendent Turner was in the city last night stopping at the Norval. He left this morning for Toledo.

Superintendent Foster went to Lima today.

Brakeman Green resumed his run as freight today, going out on car 25. He has been relieving passenger brakeman Raymond on 13 and 14 for a few days.

Brakeman Holmes is off today to attend the races.

Brakeman Alexander has reported for duty after a vacation which was spent in Michigan.

Engineer M. Ballard is again at the throttle after a two days rest.

Fireman M. Brown is reported sick and is making off of today's bulletin.

Engineers Franklin and Rouse and Fireman Gray and Pullmer are off after a road trip for a rest.

The shops are doing work today with more than one-half of the men off. Applications for a half holiday on account of the races came from every department and the C. H. & D. boys well helped to swell today's attendance.

Notes.

Lima has no better citizens than the tradesmen such as are employed as machinists, blacksmiths, carpenters, boiler-makers, painters, moulders and pattern makers in the various railroad and manufacturing shops in this city. The loss to the city should the shops of the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co. be removed from Lima, will be one that can never be retrieved.

The machinists union which will give a picnic at Henry Fruch's park Sunday for the benefit of the striking machinists throughout the country.

are arranging to run back from the street railway line on east McKibben street to the park, commencing about 9 o'clock Sunday morning, to accommodate those who will attend the outing.

The Nickle Plate's trestle over Crooked Creek, near Springfield, Pa., that went down last week with a construction train, killing several workmen has been rebuilt.

It is reported that some orders for steel rails have been placed recently on a basis of \$29 a ton, an advance of \$1 over the price agreed upon by the trust at a recent meeting.

Harry P. Cole, who has been chief clerk of Acting Master Car Builder Morse, of the Wheeling and Lake Erie at Ironville, has been appointed chief clerk of motive power department of the Erie railroad, with offices in Cleveland.

Commanding Saturday, the L. E. & W. will handle Robinson's circus for several days, taking the two sections that the show has from Findlay to Fostoria then to St. Marys, Portland, Red Key and to several points on one of the branches.

The L. E. & W. hauled the Wallace circus from Elwood to Noblesville, Ind., last night and will take the train to Indianapolis from the latter city.

Engineer Pat Donovan, of the L. E. & W., who was recently married, today began housekeeping in the residence recently vacated by engineer Wm. Fess and family at 302 west Kibby street. The Fess family have moved into their handsome new residence on south Main street.

## CAMP NEELY.

Again the Y. M. C. A. Boys are at Johnson's Island.

The trip to Sandusky Tuesday morning was uneventful but pleasant. Every inhabitant along the L. E. & W. railroad knew that the boys of the Y. M. C. A. at Lima were out for an outing and a good time. No station was passed but that numerous camp-yells were given with all the vigor forty voices could call forth.

We arrived at Sandusky on time, just before noon and the boys under the direction of their leaders were given a trip over the city while the baggage was being transferred to the elegant little steam launch Norton Buckee, which was to bring us to our camp at Johnson's Island.

At Sandusky we met Frank Wallace who came over from Lakeside, Kyle Trevor from Toledo, and Capt. Foltz, who had gone in advance to arrange for our convenience.

On our arrival at the island we soon put things in readiness for camp and at 6 o'clock we were called to supper which was served in fine style by Chef Wood.

After supper the boys all had a good swim and were ready to turn in by nine o'clock, at which time taps are sounded.

We have sunk two boxes in the sand on the beach and they act as a filter and furnish us with lots of cold, clean water.

The following are those present arranged according to the messes:

MESS NO. 1.  
Rev. G. W. Anderson, leader; Fred Orr, Howard Fletcher, Harry Simpson, Walter Wenner, Henry Delsel, Fred Kemmer.

MESS NO. 2.  
Harry Baker, leader; Ray Cochran, Raymond Cook, Chester Ridenour, Lorren Shattuck, Herbert Catl, Stewart White, Harold Bobbins.

MESS NO. 3.  
Rev. W. H. Leatherman, leader; Karl Figley, Hugh Boone, Chester Daz, Martin Sprague, Thor. Zettitz, Walter Ridenour, Ocie Eakster.

MESS NO. 4.  
B. Trevor, leader; Frank Wallace, Harry Foltz, Kyle Trevor, Ellis Jones, C. L. Eekles, Prentice Lawrence, Harry Wood.

MESS NO. 5.  
C. W. Hardy, leader; Ray Albrecht, Adolph Kreienbuhl, William Delsel, Lloyd Apples, Clarence Ralston.

Ray Albrecht is secretary of the tennis club.

Capt. Foltz is in command of the sail boat "Mist."

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

There will be prayer meeting Friday evening at the residence of J. H. Vinson, 881 Oak street. There will also be Sunday school at the same place on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

The Carnival band is the best Sardines put in cans. At

Best 10c Bottle Olives in the city at Dimond Bros.

Athens Wafers in bulk at Dimond Bros.

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## TWO

Cents Higher Goes Lima Oil.

Oil Quotations

Made Another Jump This Morning.

Eastern Production's Price Went Up Three Cents on the Barrel.

Figures Showing Petroleum Exports—A Good Well Shot in Bath Township This Morning.

An advance of 3 cents in the price of Lima oil and of 5 cents in the price of Eastern oil in two days isn't half bad and if the gait will only hold up for a few days it will be "strenuously" fine. The market took a better jump today than it did yesterday, Lima oil going up 2 points and Eastern oil advancing 3 cents. Following are the quotations:

Lima	.....	\$1.25
Pennsylvania	.....	1.19
Somerset	.....	.77
Corning	.....	.93
New Castle	.....	.85
North Lima	.....	.82
South Lima	.....	.87
Indiana	.....	.77
White House	.....	.59

Oil Exports.

The June exports of petroleum and its products, although in excess of the record for the corresponding month of 1900, show a large decline both in amount and value from the figures for May. But May proved the heaviest month of the current year, and exported more oil than during any month since last August. The April exports were likewise quite heavy, but they fell short of May by over 10,000,000 gallons. The past month showed a gain in amount over June a year ago of over 7,000,000 gallons, but owing to the drop in prices the returns for this large amount of oil shipped abroad are \$340,000 less than for June a year ago.

The year 1900 closed with refined oil of 54 degrees Abel test in bulk at New York selling at 5.10 a gallon. Early in the year a rise of ten points per gallon was recorded, but a break to 4.85 followed with the advance of the Beaumont gusher in Texas. During February values gradually advanced until 5.45 cents per gallon was the standard for the last ten days of the month. This proved the ruling price for the first half of March, but on the 15th a rise of ten points was recorded, which was followed up by a drop to the 4.45 point at the close of the month. Values continued to drop during April until at the close bulk oil was down to 4.90 cents a gallon. There was a further reduction of 50 points or one-half cent per gallon during May, and at the close of the month bulk oil was being sold at 4.40 cents per gallon. This proved the ruling figure throughout June, and is 94 cents below the average price for June a year ago.

The exports for June of all kinds of mineral oils amounted to \$8,372,246 gallons, and were valued at \$5,450,352. This is a decline of 11,114,292 gallons in amount and \$1,013,883 in value from the report for May. Compared with June a year ago there is an increase of 7,384,629 gallons in amount, but owing to the difference in price a decrease of \$339,415 in value. The exports for June, 1900, were 7,337,816 gallons, valued at \$5,789,767.

The exports for June were distributed as follows: Crude, 1,652,292 gallons; naphtha, 378,137 gallons; illuminating oil, 68,869,890 gallons; lubricating oil and paraffine, 5,371,394 gallons; residuum, 367,332 gallons. The total of mineral oils shipped from New York was 48,434,337 gallons; Philadelphia, 25,568,791 gallons; Delaware ports, \$191,741 gallons; Baltimore, 1,149,323 gallons; and Boston, 279,553 gallons.

A Good Well.

The Ekeniva Oil Company brought in a fine well on the Foster lease in Bath township this morning. It was shot at 10 o'clock, and made a magnificent response and will be a fine producer.

The go-devil was dropped by Miss A. W. Baxter, of Newark, N. J., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Cuthbert, of west Market street. Miss Baxter, Mrs. Bonnie Bourquin and Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert were out to view the shot and enjoyed the fine sight immensely. Miss Baxter received all credit for the excellence of the well.

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## SOUTH SIDE

Board of Trade Committee Will Meet Friday Night.

The south side board of trade committee appointed to canvass the south side to sell lots in accordance with the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co's. proposition recently accepted by the board of trade, met at Cramer's drug store and began its work this morning with encouraging success. The committee will meet at Cramer's drug store at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening and every member, and every citizen of the south side who is interested in the welfare of the city is urged to be present.

## PERSONAL.

Dr. T. M. Weadock went to Cleveland yesterday, professional affairs calling him there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morin and children, of south West street, have returned home, after spending two weeks at the Pan-American Exposition.

The Home Guards of America will meet and initiate a candidate tomorrow evening.

Hon. Geo. W. Hull, of Toledo, is in the city.

W. J. Richie today sold to S. L. Reynolds, of St. Louis, his electric surrey, and will ship the same in a few days.

Mr. Ed. Wallace, who has been confined to his home on Bellefontaine avenue, for the past six months with rheumatism, has gone to Mt. Clemens in search of health.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Gerber, of Cleveland, O., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Collins and family.

Misses Mabel and Grace Spach, of Huntington, Ind., are the guests of their cousins, Leroy and Ethel Pletcher, of west Spring street, this week.

Born, to Prof. and Mrs. C. C. Miller, a charming daughter.

Victor Bond and family left today, for a visit of two weeks with friends and relatives in Marion, Ind.

Misses Grace Caffrey and Agnes Higginbotham left last night for Buffalo to attend the exposition, and will spend several weeks visiting other eastern cities.

Mrs. Dr. Johnson and her daughter left this morning for a visit at Marion, Ind.

Rev. P. L. Metzger has gone to his former home, at Lightsville, for a visit.

Mr. L. J. Fohlman, of The Dayton Folding Box Co., after spending his vacation in Detroit and Toledo, stopped off at Lima Monday and was the guest of Miss Edith Taylor, of north Jackson street, and Mr. George Bush, of east Elm street.

Mrs. Katherine Kirby, of north Main street, is visiting her brother, Thomas Sullivan, in Sidney.

The Spees family reunion will be held in Taylor's grove, near Unionopolis, on Thursday, August 29th. Several families of that name in this city will be included.

Mrs. E. F. Johnson and son, Cecil, and daughter Eva, of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Mrs. B. Eppert and son, of Kansas City, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Harrod. Mrs. Johnson and children will soon leave for Manila, where Mr. Johnson is a member of the supreme court.

## BIG GUSHER

Drilled in and Shot Today on the Howard Lease.

American Oil Co., Strikes Another Good Producer That is Worth 200 Barrels at Start.

This morning the American Oil Co.'s well No. 5 on the Howard lease east of town was shot and after the force of the shot had abated the crude flowed over the derrier. The men made several attempts to clean the well out but it flowed strong each time. The producer will start off at a 300 barrel gait.

The same company's No. 4 on the same farm made 150 barrels 4 weeks after it was shot.

Athens Wafers in bulk at Dimond Bros.

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## A CASE OF EXTRAVAGANCE.

YOU never cut off three-quarters of a new cake of soap and throw it away! Yet you pay twice the price of Ivory Soap for a cake of "tinted" toilet soap less than half as large. Your little cake of toilet soap costs you four times the price of Ivory, for it lasts only half as long and costs twice as much. No money can buy purer or better soap than Ivory. If it came in dainty paper, all scented and colored, you would pay fifteen cents for a very small cake of it.

## BAPTISM

Administered Tonight at the Wayne Street Church.

The ordinance of Baptism will be administered tonight at the Wayne street Church at Christ following the prayer meeting. The subject of the meeting tonight will be "Seeking the Things Above."

## EVERYBODY COME.

Follow Dana's band to 758 south Elizabeth street this evening and enjoy the music. While there have the Rebekahs serve you with ice cream and cake.

## A TIP ON THE RACES.

Smoke Effe Powers Queen of all 5c cigars. 6-9c

"I suffered for months from sore throat. Electric Oil cured me in twenty-four hours." M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky.

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## INSURANCE STATEMENT.

State of Ohio.

Insurance Department.

Columbus, February 1st, 1901.

I, A. L. Vorys, superintendent of insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland, located at Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state its appropriate business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding places of public or private trust, who may be required to do so in their trust capacity, receive, hold, control, disburse public or private moneys or property; guaranteeing the performance of contracts other than insurance policies, and executing and guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in all actions or proceedings or by law allowed, as prescribed in Section 3641, paragraph second, Revised Statutes of Ohio, in accordance with law, during the current year. Its condition and business, on the thirty-first day of December of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by Section 284, of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets, \$4,381,312.78

Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance, \$85,117.48

Net Assets, \$3,575,902.31

Amount of actual paid-up capital, \$500,000.00

Surplus, \$2,075,902.31

Amount of income for the year in cash, \$1,356,130.75

Amount of expenditures for the year in cash, \$1,222,514.25

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

(Seal) A. L. VORYS,

Superintendent of Insurance, J. N. Splitter, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire at once 508 west High street. 7-31

WANTED—A 900 pound bay mare, last seen was near Cridersville. Finder please take up and notify C. L. Fess, 337 west North street, Lima, Ohio. 7-31

WANTED—Nicely furnished room, with bath, on Elizabeth street, near the square. Gentleman preferred. Inquire at 134 north Main street. 5-31

STRAYED—St. Bernard dog, responds to name of Don. Person finding him will receive reward by returning to 620 west Spring street. 351c

LOST—Baby's necklace, somewhere on west Wayne street, either Thursday or Friday. A \$3 gold piece attached as charm. Finder will please return to S. Warner, Merchant Tailor, opposite court house, on north Main street. 5-31

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## NEW HOMES FOR MANY.

Chances Presented by Opening of Oklahoma Lands.

## NEARLY TWO MILLION ACRES OPEN

Soil Is Rich, and Pure Water Abounds—Where the Region Lies, Facts About Its Mountains, Valleys and the Prospects to Which the Soil Is Best Adapted.

Two troops of United States cavalry will prevent a raid or looting in the Indian lands to be drawn by lottery for settlement by whites at the opening of the reservation on Aug. 3, says a dispatch from Guthrie, O. T., to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. There is not likely to be any serious trouble. The new lands are a part of Oklahoma territory and are rich in soil, pure water and timber.

The Wichita reservation is 35 miles east and west by 30 miles north and south. It contains, according to the latest government survey, 743,010 acres of land. It is bounded on the north by the Canadian river, which separates it from Blaine and Canadian counties, O. T., on the west by Washita county, O. T., on the east by the Chickasaw reservation and on the south by the Comanches, Kiowas and Apaches lies immediately south of the Wichita reservation and is bounded on the east by the Chickasaw reservation, on the west by Greer county, O. T., and on the south by the Red river, which forms the southern boundary of Oklahoma and separates this territory from Texas. It is 70 miles east and west by 65 miles north and south and contains 2,908,833 acres.

Abolitions to the Indians, pasture, school and military reservations; the Wichita mountains and small reservations for various other purposes reduce the amount of land available for homestead purposes to approximately one-half of the total acreage. There is therefore left to be distributed to homesteaders under the provisions of the president's proclamation approximately 1,564,000, or 11,000 homesteads of 160 acres each. Each homesteader must be either a voter or the head of a family. Some of the homesteads will unquestionably be refused or abandoned. If 9,000 are taken and retained, it will be in excess of the anticipation of those most conversant with conditions. Estimating the number of homesteaders who will make the new territory a permanent home at \$500, the agricultural population can be safely estimated at five times this number, or 45,000.

The only statement regarding the nature and character of the soil worth consideration is one based upon actual tests of what has been raised from it. One would suppose from the nature of the soil that apples would prove a profitable crop. But they do not. Experiments have shown that apple culture is a waste of time. On the other hand, the finest peaches in the world can be raised in the new country. Not only does the fruit have a fine flavor, but the peaches grow to an unusual size, and the trees bear abundantly with comparatively little cultivation. The effort to raise pears has been a failure, but grapes have been cultivated with wonderful success. As it is with the fruits, so it is with the cereals. The actual tests show continued success with some crops, continued failures with others.

Out of 2,000,000 acres available for homesteaders perhaps 1,000,000 will make desirable farms. If the land be taken in its entirety, it will not favorably compare with the land in old Oklahoma north of it. But there are thousands of as good farms in the new country as in any other part of Oklahoma. Forty thousand acres in and near the Keechee hills, near the Chickasaw reservation and south about ten miles from the Washita river, is worthless for agricultural purposes. Much of the highland in the Wichita reservation is adapted only for grazing land. The Wichita mountains, which should be retained by the government as a wood and park reserve, renders useless for agricultural purposes not less than 200,000 acres.

With the exception of the district known as the Wichita mountain range, which covers an area of 20 by 30 miles almost in the center of the Kiowa-Comanche country, the Keechee hills, immediately south of the Washita river, near the Chickasaw nation, and the small area included in the Rainy mountain district, in the northwest corner of the reservation, all the land in the new country is adapted either for agriculture or grazing lands. Of the Wichita mountain country it is sufficient to say in discussing the country from the homesteaders' standpoint that the tops of the peaks are barren of all vegetation, that the forests of post oak extend almost half the distance to the top and that between the mountain ranges are some beautiful parks. But the mountains are a valuable agricultural purpose. Nowhere in the west can a better watered country be found. The streams which traverse the country in all directions have their sources in these mountains and provide a never failing water supply. One can scarcely go a distance of a township in any part of the Comanche reservation without crossing a stream of clear water. Deep pools and creeks alternate, solving the problem of a water supply for both the cattle country and the domestic uses of agricultural people.

**Cost No Preventive.**  
The Sultan of Morocco has two new cameras that cost \$15,000. Yet he will probably have as many bad exposures, says the New York Press, as if they cost \$2.08.

## WARTIME HUMORIST.

Comic Career of Orpheus C. Kerr, His Fondness of Animals.

The late Robert Henry Newell of Brooklyn, who with Petroleum V. Nasby, Artemus Ward, Josh Billings and others made up the company of humorists, who relieved and softened with their jests some of the grimness of the civil war period, was an older appearing man than he really was. He was 65 years old. As he picked his way along the streets, stopping to make a minute examination of every bit of waste paper that he found in his way and sometimes talking to himself rather excitedly, he seemed nearer 90 than 65, says the New York Sun. His delight in his later days was to visit some of the restaurants along Court street, where he had appreciative friends, and tell them of his experiences as a newspaper correspondent during the civil war and as one of those who followed President Grant on his trip around the world. He was very fond of animals, and in all the places where he was a frequent visitor the cats and dogs made for him as soon as he entered.

Mr. Newell was born in New York city. He was literary editor of the New York Mercury from 1853 to 1852. From 1852 until 1859 he was a war correspondent and a contributor to northern periodicals of his famous Washington letters signed Orpheus C. Kerr (office seeker). He accompanied Grant on his famous tour around the world and subsequently made a similar tour on his own account. Among his best known productions are "Palace Beautiful and Other Poems," "Versatilities," "Avery Gibben," "Cleven Foot," an American adaptation of Dickens' "Mystery of Edwin Drood," entitled "The Mystery of Mr. E. Drood," and the "Walking Doll." Among his poems "The Irish Sentinel's Lament" is one of those which will be longest remembered. Its first stanza is:

In warlike the mud, Biddy,  
With not a speck of gold,  
And silence, speckles on the grave,  
Is the only sound I hear.

From 1859 until 1874 Mr. Newell was an editorial writer for The World of New York city. He was also the editor of Health and Home, an illustrated weekly.

## MAINE GRANITE FOR EUROPE

An Experiment Which May Revolutionize Our Granite Industry.

An innovation in the granite industry of Maine, the importance of which can hardly be estimated and which marks an era in the granite trade all over the country, will be introduced at Rockland, Me., shortly. A cargo of granite will be shipped in August from the quarries on Crochet and Moose islands, Stonington and Hurricane islands, to Liverpool, says the New York Tribune. This will be the first cargo of American granite ever shipped to any European port and will be laid down in Liverpool at \$1 a ton, or \$1.25 a ton less than Scotch granite can be supplied.

The shipment is to be made under the direction of John L. Goss and W. S. White, who have been studying the European granite and building stone conditions for some time past. England has become alarmed over the scarcity of building stone, the Scotland quarries being almost denuded and able only to supply small dimensions quarried at a great depth. English builders have lately been importing stone from Sweden and Russia at considerable cost. The first cargo will consist of nearly 3,000 tons and will be loaded direct at tide water. On the success of the enterprise depends a great deal in fact, if satisfactory it means the revolutionizing of the United States granite trade. The east and get uncovered fields of granite in Maine and New England tide water places offer innumerable advantages and inexhaustible sources of supply of granite for the world at large.

## LEPERS IN UNITED STATES.

Nearly Nine Hundred Cases Found by Investigating Surgeons.

Drs. J. H. White, George Tolly Vaughn and M. J. Rosenau, three surgeons of the marine hospital service appointed about two years ago under authority of an act of congress approved March 2, 1899, to make a full investigation of the subject of leprosy in the United States, have practically completed their work and within a short time will be ready to submit a report to the house and senate when those two bodies shall have reconvened.

This report will set forth some interesting and to many some rather startling facts and information concerning the prevalence of the disease of leprosy in this country, for it will show that the ailment prevails here to an extent not generally appreciated, says a Washington dispatch to the Philadelphia Times. It will in all likelihood show that there are nearly 900 cases in the United States. Furthermore, as stated the other day on most reliable authority, it will say that there is at least one case, if not more, in the city of Washington, while in other large cities there are numerous cases known to and under the surveillance of the medical profession.

## Francis Parkman Memorial.

The memorial to Francis Parkman for the park system of Brookline, Mass., which now includes the former site of his house, is to be a gateway or door formed of the monoliths that will span one of the paths where his home used to stand, says the New York Times. The two uprights, with superincumbent stone, are roughly hammered from the rock. On one face the uprights will have figures to relief by Daniel C. French, carried out in the spirit of the gateway, rudely and in an archaic style. On the same side of the crosspiece will be a relief portrait of Parkman. One of the side figures will represent the Indian tribes and the other side the white settlers.

## RACE FOR BIG YACHTS

Proposition Made For Regatta During Olympian Games.

## FIFTY-TWO FOOTERS TO COMPETE

Larger Types Will Be Cared For In Chicago's Great Aquatic Carnival. Special Cup May Be Offered For the Prize-Opinions of Yachting Experts.

When the organization of the International Olympian Games association is completed and the announcement of the sports to be held at Chicago are out, a special race for large yachts will be one of the features of the plying and yachting regatta to be held in connection with the sports. It has been practically decided that a race either for 40 or 52 footers will be held during the international contests, says the Chicago News. It is probable that a special cup will be put up for this race.

Up to the present time it has been thought that the 35 footers were the largest available class of yachts for races on the lakes. In an endeavor to make the races more lasting in effect and more exciting and international a larger class than those which will sail in the Canada's cup races has been proposed, and many of the Chicago yachtsmen are already discussing the prospect of special races during the Olympian games.

Of those who have expressed an opinion on the subject a majority seem to favor the 40 footers as the largest available class of yachts for the races.

"The yachting spirit on the lakes is not up to the size of the 52 footers," said one Chicago yachtsman the other day. "It is a question whether the local yachtsmen of the city and those of the great lakes could be educated up to building and racing the large sized boats before 1904. Personally, looking at the sport as it exists today, I should say that the 40 footers are of the most available type. To be sure, we have here the Venedor, the Shren, and the Vannessa of the 52 foot class, but at Detroit there is none of this class. Toledo and Cleveland will hardly spend the money for them, and we would have to go to Toronto before finding any of the class. I doubt very much whether we could educate the people into building the 52 footers in the three years. They will come later, but at present they are a doubtful quantity."

At the time of the discussion of the size of yacht for the Canada's cup it was decided after much argument and work that the 35 footers were the greatest possibilities at present. It was said then that the 35 footers were cheap enough to build, that five or more would be built each year, and thus the fleets would be added to. It was thought that the 52 footers were so large that they would be built one at a time, and their increase would be very slow.

"I think it would be a good thing for this city," said Mr. Berriman of the Canada's cup committee of the Chicago Yacht club. "Some time ago when we discussed the class of boats for the Canada's cup we decided that the 35 foot was the most available class for an international cup on the lakes in case of a perpetual trophy, but for special races I see no reason why there should not be a series for a larger class. At present we have the Shren, the Vannessa and the Venedor in the 52 foot class, and there are others up the lake. "There is one great trouble with that class. At Detroit it is impossible to use them, while at Cleveland and Toledo they will hardly spend the money necessary to build such big craft. Not that they have not got it, but that they are not up to that class yet. Here at Chicago we can always raise enough money to build things of that sort as well as up the lakes. At Toronto they have a number of boats of the big class. "If the race was made international, it is certain that boats would be built at this city to contest for the cup. It is possible to bring the 42 footers from the coast without much trouble, and some could be drawn from there if the race was agitated out there. Still, they are rather large for the yachting spirit as evinced on the lakes at present. It is a question whether the taste of yachtsmen of the lakes could be educated up to that point before 1904."

Others expressed similar views, but many doubted that as large a class as the 52 footers would be available. "I think the 42 footers are the best," said Fleet Captain George Akin of the Chicago Yacht club. "They make a good cruising boat after the races are over and do not cost as much as the 52 footers, and, finally, they do not cost as much to run. Yachting is an expensive sport, and one has to be educated up to spending all one earns on a yacht."

The case with which a yacht may be brought from the Atlantic coast is given as showing the good prospects of bringing some of the salt water boats to the regatta. It is hoped that in the three years before the games the split in all athletic and sporting lines may be worked up locally to make a great fight for first honors in the competitions.

## A New Folding Chair.

A folding chair that is at once compact and comfortable has been designed by a New Yorker and is a welcome addition to the list of summer furniture, says the Brooklyn Eagle. It is on the broad seated armchair order, with seat and back of canvas webbing. Its special advantage is that it does not fold up at inopportune times and in the exasperating way characteristic of camp and folding chairs generally, the folding operation being accomplished easily by the aid of a simple but ingenious contrivance.

## HALF RATES TO CHICAGO.

The Chicago & Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets to Chicago from all stations at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 24th, 25th, and 26th, good returning July 30th. On payment of 50 cents to joint agent, Erie station, at Chicago, tickets will be extended to August 24th. For information see agents or

F. C. McCOY,  
Agent, Lima, O.

Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure. "For years I have been greatly bothered with kidney trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I was induced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After using three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles, for I can honestly state I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success."

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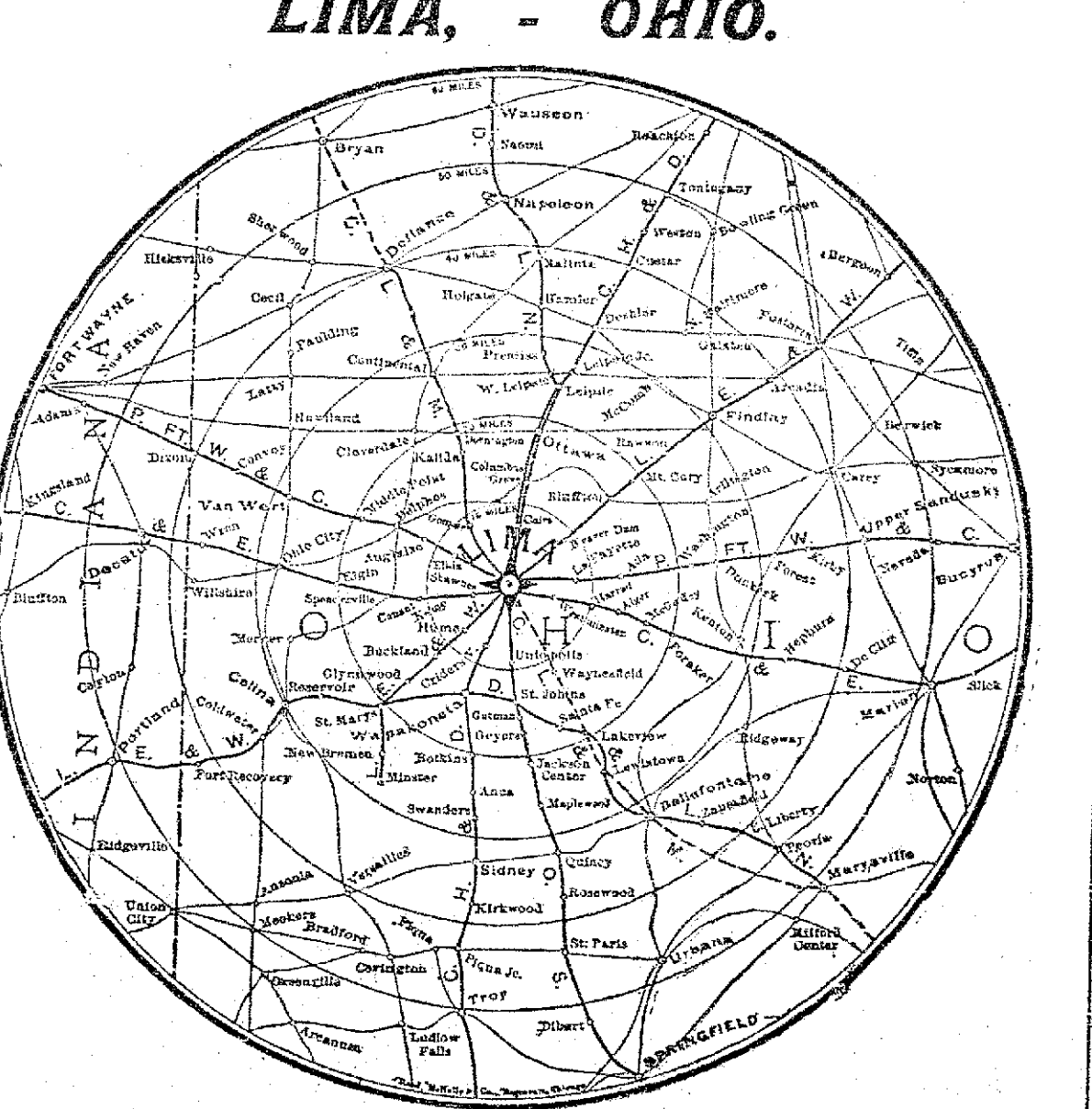
July 5th and 25th.

The Chicago & Erie R. R. will sell tickets to Chautauqua Lake and return at one fare for the round trip on July 5th and 25th. Tickets good returning until August 6th and 27th. For information see agents or write

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For full particulars, time of trains, etc., call on agents of Ohio Central lines, or address

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Mr. F. H. Wells, the merchant at Duer Park, Long Island, N. Y., says: "I always recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm as the best liniment for strains. I used it last winter for a severe lameness in the side, resulting from a strain, and was greatly pleased with the quick relief and cure it effected." For sale by Wm. M. L. Gilville, old post office corner.

"Cover the capital of Delaware, can not be correctly described as a thriving town in respect to its growth in population, which is less than that of Duck Creek Hundred, in the same county, and also less than that of Little Creek Hundred in Sussex county. Dover had by the last census a population of 3,329. The population of Wilmington was 74,593.

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In Strasburg and other German cities dentists have been officially appointed for the public schools. In some parts of Prussia 99 per cent of school children were found to have curious teeth.

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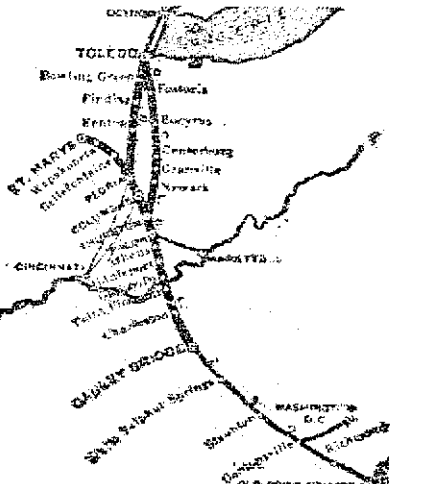
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## TWO

### Lima Horses Won the Money

### And a Record

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### Rose Gale and Cecelia, Both Owned by Curtis Take Three Straight Heats.

### The 2:23 Pace was a Departure from Previous Races, and Required Six Heats to Finish—Two Accidents on Track.

The races on the second day of the meeting were again up to the standard, and while it was expected that the crowd in attendance would be somewhat smaller than on the opening day, when the first card was hung on the entrance gate, there was a splendid showing, and the management could not but feel gratified.

Today will see the grounds and grand stand swarming, however, as the movement to close the stores was taken up in the right spirit and but few business houses are open this afternoon. The clerks make up a host in themselves and as most of them wait the afternoon for the races they help greatly to bring the number in attendance up to the record mark.

Three events were on the program yesterday, but the 2:23 class pacing proved to be the first race which has taken more than three heats to finish.

A bad mix up resulting in a smashed sulky and a thrown driver was responsible in the first for the change of place at the finish, but while regretting the accident, the contest was of a nature to satisfy the desire for a change and Lady C got a storm of applause as she came under the wire fighting hard with Edward O'Brien.

The point of particular interest was the showing made by Lima horses, Rose Gale and Cecelia, both owned by Guy Curtis and driven by Elmer Hill. Winning the 2:22 trot and the 2:40 pace respectively. The favorites were beaten and as a result the bookmakers who are doing a land office business so far as patronage is concerned, had their estimates knocked higher than a cocked hat. Hill did the work in two instances and has the unusual record of having taken six straight heats. The finishes in the 2:22 trot were especially exciting and Rose Gale proved herself to be equal to almost any demand made on her speed.

Five horses were on the card for the 2:40 pace, but J. C. R., a Hicksville horse was added. Cecelia was the only Lima horse in the bunch and while she was the favorite of the masses, Chanler had been picked by the talent to win. The proverbial uncertainty of a horse race was again proven by the failure of the Mansfield gelding to get inside the money. Cecelia took the lead at the start getting the pole easily from Coatsdale, and she was never headed. Sidney Byron and J. C. R. drove her hard to the wire but the pace was not as fast as it looked, according to the time announced.

In the second heat, the field divided and there was a wide stretch between the leaders and the trailers. Again the battle was fought out by Cecelia, J. C. R. and Lady Byron, but Chanler pulled out from the trailers and got in with the bunch before the finish. He was now stepping some, and those who had backed the tip of the talent thought he was coming into condition. He had too much to overcome however, and the heat finished as the first, except that J. C. R. and Sidney Byron exchanged places, each now having a second and third position. Cecelia was in nearly two lengths to the good.

The final heat varied somewhat, while the mile was being covered, J. C. R. cutting out Cecelia at the pole and the spur put the Hicksville horse a good distance ahead, but Hill waited for the last turn and the open space began to lessen until in the stretch Cecelia was driven to her best and came under the wire an easy winner. J. C. R. kept second place and was closely followed by Chanler. Just before the heat, Chanler and his driver had an accident while trying out. The horse began to get ugly and finally fell on her nose, pitching the driver in the air and he came down astride of the horse's neck. They were both on their feet on the moment and neither were hurt. The summary:

2:20 Pace—Purse \$100.  
Cecelia, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....1 1  
J. C. R., N. Johnson, Hicksville.....2 2  
Sidney Byron, Dr. M. L. G. Hayes, Lima.....3 3

Chanler, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....1 1  
Marchant, S. M. W. Curtis, Lima.....2 2  
Coatsdale, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....3 3  
Time—2:23: 2:23: 2:23.

There were but four horses in the 2:22 class trotting. Noug Such drew the pole, but he never got it again, as he proved to be a circus performer of the worst kind and would have done better under a saddle. Two Lima horses, Rose Gale and Isabella were entered and home pride naturally pulled for both of them. Results proved that Rose Gale was but one dangerous rival and that was Lee J. The Litchfield horse had the lead, but he made an ascension in the home stretch and Rose Gale and Isabella both passed him. He recovered nicely and in the back stretch displayed his recuperative powers by slipping again into second place. The fast pace threw him into another break at a critical moment and Isabella passed him under the wire with Rose Gale several lengths ahead.

The second and third heats of the 2:22 were undoubtedly the inspiring moments of the day, as the finishes were of the sensational order and the crowd was swaying by the excitement. Rose Gale kept the lead, but in the back stretch, Lee J. swung into the pace at a gallop which brought him along side and like a team they came home together. The drivers were using their knowledge to good effect, and Rose Gale responded to the gentle urging with just enough extra exertion to bring her in nose ahead.

In the third, the finish was even more exciting. Rose Gale again led the pace, but a groan went up from the grand stand when the game little bay went off her feet and Lee J. taking advantage of the break gathered up several lengths. Almost in an instant Hill had her steady again and the crowd hardly breathed as they watched the effort to eat up the lost ground. Down the back stretch the two horses came thundering and Hill's whip hand was suddenly raised in the air with the lash hovering over Rose Gale's ears. It did not descend; the hint was enough, and to the delight of the multitude she took the wire ahead of her vanquished rival with half a length to spare. The summary:

2:22 Class Trotting—Purse \$100.  
Rose Gale, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....1 1  
Lee J., S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....2 2  
Isabella, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....3 3  
Noug Such, Charles Shaffer, Belleville.....4 4  
Time—2:22: 2:22: 2:22.

The 2:30 class pacing was held off until the other races were finished and for the first time during the meeting there were monotonous walks between the heats, as the horses had to be given the allotted time to recuperate. There were six starters, and Lima represented by Edward O'Brien, driven by L. G. Hayes.

Agnes Wilkes was added to the field, and drew the pole. She led for two-thirds the distance, but was gradually overcome as Millie G pulled away from a back bunch and took the wire without dispute.

The second heat again saw Agnes Wilkes in the lead, but she broke in the home stretch and Millie G came to the head of the procession. She had the heat in a walk until within reaching distance of the wire, when Lady C suddenly became a factor in the race and finished second, less than half a length behind the roan.

In the third, Agnes Wilkes made her usual sport, but fell back and at the half she started to pass Belle Dillard, when there was a collision and consequently smashing of sulkeys. Billie Brannigan, who was driving Belle Dillard, was thrown violently and he barely got his foot out of the harness to escape being dragged to his death. The horse got away and went on around the track starting at a runaway gallop but presently falling into her natural pace which she kept at a fast rate of speed until caught in the home stretch. Her act was warmly applauded, the crowd having been satisfied that no serious injury had resulted. In the meantime Lady C was leading the field that was left, but Hayes brought Ed O'Brien into the struggle and both drivers used the whip at the finish. Lady C won by a neck, and Millie G, with two heats to her credit, was back in the fourth place.

Lady C took the fourth heat, but had a double struggle. Robert M was the first to dispute with her, but he broke in the stretch and then Millie G went after her third heat with a vengeance. The pace was killing and although the whip was applied, Lady C was a length to the good at the finish.

The fifth heat brought another surprise and Robert M made good his previous effort to take the heat. While in the bunch at the first turn, Lady C was crowded and Robert M pushed to the front, holding the pole against all odds and winning over Robert M by a length. Millie G was wearing out and finished sixth.

It was getting dark by this time but there was too much ahead for today to make it advisable to carry the race over, and all the horses were sent to the stable except Lady C, Millie G and Robert M. Lady C and Millie G had two heats to their credit, and Robert M, one. Robert M lead the way for nearly the entire distance, but at the last turn Lady C, who seemed to improve with hard work, came to the

finish at a gallop which made her a sure winner of the heat and race. The summary:

2:30 Class Pacing—Purse \$100.  
Lady C, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....1 1  
Millie G, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....2 2  
Robert M, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....3 3  
Agnes Wilkes, Brannigan, Lima.....4 4  
Belle Dillard, Dr. M. L. G. Hayes, Lima.....5 5  
Cleveland, S. M. G. W. Curtis, Lima.....6 6  
Time—2:30: 2:30: 2:30.

## SURPRISED

### By a Large Party of Friends was E. C. Ring.

### The Event Held Tuesday Evening in Honor of His Thirty-eighth Birthday Anniversary.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ring, 559 east Elm street, Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Ring's 38th birthday anniversary. A friend had gone out with him for a walk while the crowd gathered. Among them were many of his friends from the Lima Locomotive and Machine Co.'s works, and as he was greeting them his mother, Mrs. N. P. Ring, and aunt, Miss Margaret McFarland, from Crestline, arrived and also surprised him. The house was decorated with many beautiful flowers. Ice cream and cake and lemonade punch were served and the evening was delightfully spent in fine music and other appropriate amusements.

The picnic at Hove's lake given by Alice Mose and Lillian Mack, was held yesterday, the party which consisted of about 40 young girls and boys, was chaperoned by Anna Kendricks and Rose Mack, after a fine luncheon, the young folks enjoyed themselves at games and boat riding, departing for their respective homes at about 7 o'clock.

L. C. Moses, of the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., started on his vacation yesterday, he has left for the Buffalo exposition and will also visit friends and relatives in New York city.

## NO EXCUSE

### For Living According to the Magazine Editor.

A certain Lima young man recently imagined that he was cut out for a "poet". He made his debut a few weeks ago by penning several verses, the title of which was: "Why am I Living?" The would be "poet" mailed the verses to the publisher of a well known magazine, and in a few days the writer was startled by receiving his manuscript in his mail containing the following written on the other side: "We don't know why you are living, but if you were where we could get our hands on you, you would not live to write any more like the enclosed."

## THE BUFFALOS

### Will Hold a Special Meeting Friday Night.

Tomorrow night the local herd of Buffalos will hold a special meeting for the purpose of initiating a calf who has been trying for several weeks to muster up sufficient courage to appear in the wallow on a regular meeting night. The young thing has finally inflated his nerve to a point where it declares itself willing to tackle the old herd and for fear it will get punctured before next Tuesday night the old guards will receive the calf tomorrow night.

## REMAINS

### Of Mrs. Ellen Bastable Brought to This City.

The remains of Mrs. Ellen Bastable, who died at her home in Ada, Tuesday, were brought to this city over the P. Ft. W. & C. at 9:40 a. m. and the funeral services were held at St. Rose church, Rev. J. B. Mooney conducting the burial services. The body was consigned to a final resting place in Gethsemani cemetery. The deceased was the mother of County Auditor James Bastable, of Hardin county, and her death is mourned by a large circle of warm friends.

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## TRAIL

### Of Blood Marked the Route

### Of the Burglar

### Who Failed in Three Attempts.

### Cut His Feet Severely at the Rear of John Seifried's Saloon

### And Left Blood at Two Other Places He Attempted to Rob—Stole a Pair of Shoes and was Seen This Morning.

Last night about 12:30 o'clock some one made an unsuccessful attempt at entering John Seifried's place of business on south Main street. The would be burglar had evidently removed his shoes before climbing upon the fence at the side of the building. In leaping from the fence into the yard he landed upon a lot of bottles, which must have cut his feet terribly as the tracks around the back yard were literally filled with blood. The noise made by the breaking bottles attracted the clerk, who went out immediately to investigate, but could see no one. From blood foot prints discovered later upon the awning just below the second story window it is thought the man was there concealed at the time the clerk was investigating. Every move of the miscreant from the time he leaped upon the bottles could be plainly traced. The foot prints were traced out of the yard, down west Vine street, up south Elizabeth, to Rev. Maltbie's, where the man had gone upon the porch evidently to rest.

Followed the Trail. The attempted burglary at Seifried's saloon was made while the night clerk was in front of the building sweeping out some water, after having done some scrubbing and he heard the burglar making his escape after he had frightened him by going to the rear door. He notified patrolman Jackson and the latter followed the trail of blood as far as Rev. Maltbie's residence and then lost it. The matter was not reported to the police station until after the day men had gone out on their beats or the prowler would undoubtedly have been captured. Patrolman Bacon and Shook tracked the man to Rev. Maltbie's home and found that he had attempted to climb upon the roof of the porch there but had evidently been frightened away. From there the trail was followed to the home of a family named DeLong on west Kibby street, when the fellow stole a pair of shoes that were sitting on the porch, having left his own, or rather one of his own, at Seifried's place. From the DeLong home the robber went to the home of a family named Downey on south Pierce street and by cutting a wire screen he attempted to gain an entrance to the house but here also he was frightened away. After leaving this place he went to the Pierce street bridge and crawled in among the high weeds nearby. He was seen among the weeds at 8 o'clock this morning but had disappeared without leaving any further trail before the police arrived.

## AN ARREST MADE

But This Man Claims He Was Injured at Marion.

About 2:15 o'clock this afternoon patrolman Bacon arrested a tough appearing stranger at the Erie freight depot. The fellow had had one foot badly injured and the wound had been dressed by a physician but the prisoner claims he sustained the injury in getting off of a freight train at Marion. He gave his name as Frank Mason and claims to be a brick layer.

Today Mrs. Heath, wife of L. E. & W. passenger conductor A. L. Heath, returned home after having been absent over night and found that the burglar had been at the house and had left a trail of blood on the porch.

## A CYCLONE

### Did Great Damage in Wayne County Last Night.

Wooster, O., July 18.—The section of Wayne county about Applecreek and Frederickburg was raved by a cyclone last night. No lives were lost, but entire orchards were blown out by the roots, and great tracts of timber blown down. Many acres of wheat were blown away, causing a heavy loss to the farmers.

## RELLENTLESS

### Hand of Death Saddens the O. J. Simpson Home.

### Edwin Wallace Simpson Died at 5 O'clock This Morning—Funeral to be Held Tomorrow.

At 5 o'clock this morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Simpson, at 119 south Collet street, was saddened by a visit from the angel of death, their bright little son, the oldest of their two children, Edwin Wallace Simpson, dying from an attack of paralysis that had resulted from the siege of diphtheria he recently suffered. The child was aged 4 years and 11 months and was beloved by all who had known him and had delighted in his remarkable intelligence and youthful joys.

## PROMINENT

### Couple from Findlay Married in This City.

### Wedding Occurred in March and was Kept Secret Until Today—The Bride and Groom.

A great surprise to the friends of Miss Harriet Kellum and Henry Rosenthal was spring yesterday when it was announced that they had been married March 17, last. The marriage occurred in Lima, where the young couple had gone to spend the day. The ceremony had been kept a secret until yesterday and it was with the greatest reluctance that the young people admitted the marriage.

The young people are very popular and well known. Mr. Rosenthal is a very popular and efficient clerk in Bloomingdale. They will make their future home in this city, but have not yet decided when or where they will start to housekeeping.—Findlay Republican.

## TWENTY-FIVE

### Candidates to be Initiated Monday Night.

Next Monday evening a class of twenty-five candidates will be initiated into the secrets of the Maccabees order at the lodge rooms of Banner tent No. 356 in the Donze hall on south Main street. The initiatory degree will be conferred by Banner Tent's team and after the secret work, refreshments will be served in the banquet hall.

## PROMISING

### Pacer Killed at Track This Morning.

### Purchased by Aaron Fisher Three Days Ago

### And Made a Splendid Showing in a Try-out Yesterday—Turned a Back Somersault While in Training.

A deplorable accident occurred at the race track this morning, which resulted in the death of a horse purchased but three days ago by Aaron Fisher. It was a promising pacer and had been tried out on the Lima track, making the half mile in 1:08 1/2, yesterday.

Mr. Fisher purchased the animal from Mr. Berkshire at Stubbinsville, and last night was offered \$300 in cold cash for her, but he refused to sell at that figure, demanding an additional \$200. She was taken out again this morning for practice work and was driven by Tom O'Neil, who had her harnessed to one of the old high wheeled carts. It was while making the eighth that one of the wheels locked and the driver got down from his seat to investigate.

Having satisfied himself that everything was all right, O'Neil took his place again while a helper proceeded to adjust the check rein. The explanation is that the horse was fighting flies and was somewhat restless. The check rein was also tighter than she was accustomed to, and in her antics she suddenly plunged into the air and fell backward, striking the top of her head with such force that death was instantaneous.

The accident, which means a heavy loss to Mr. Fisher, is deplored by everybody and is the only incident so far that has happened to throw a damper on the big meeting.

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## STOPPED

### The Hooche-cooche on Short Notice.

### Fat Woman Performed for the Chief of Police

### And the Chief Then Notified the Manager to "Cut Out" That Portion of His Race Week Attraction.

The "For Men Only" museum that opened up for the race week in the Metheny block room that was formerly occupied by Watson's grocery put on an extra attraction last night that might have played a week's stand had it been run a little more on the quiet. The hooche-cooche, dance of Midway fame in its most repulsive and disgusting form was started, the performer being a big, fat, ugly female who did her "turn" while the chief of police was one of the spectators in the audience. The chief sized up the performance and after it was over he notified the manager that the hooche-cooche would have to be cut out.

According to the statement of a person who claims to have secured his information from a member of the aggregation that accompanies the show, the hooche-cooche was to be kept quiet until the last couple of days and was then to be turned loose "right."

## COMMITTEES

### Are Meeting With the Proper Encouragement.

### Lots in New Addition are Selling Readily and There Seems to be no Doubt of Success.

The sub-committees, the names of which were published yesterday have begun their work in earnest after a meeting this morning at which the matter relating to the sale of lots in the new addition was fully discussed. That the people of Lima are fully alive to the situation is proven by the willing response to the demand for assistance and the lots are selling readily. Already the hundred mark has been passed and those directly concerned in bringing about the success of the plan feel satisfied that the lots will be sold within the time required. There is no lagging and the arrangements made have proven to be satisfactory to nearly everybody, the committees not having to spend much of their time in explaining, as the proposition is well understood. The work will proceed without the loss of a moment's time, and if the start that has been made is any sign of what the future has in store, Lima will have reason to congratulate herself for having so easily solved what at first looked like a difficult problem.

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